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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1928.

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Esther Lapham was in Norway Monday.

Jameson L. Finney of Dixfield was in town Sunday.

Esther Harriman is visiting Mrs. Mabel Plough.

Mrs. Walter Blake, who has been ill is reported better.

Arthur Cutler was at Norridgewock over the week end.

Bertha Curtis spent the week end at her home at West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Carver were Sunday visitors at Skowhegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King spent the week end with relatives at Bath.

Mrs. Grace Swan has finished work at H. C. Rowe's and gone to Berlin.

Mrs. Lawrence Lord called on Mrs. Gertrude Haggood one day last week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Chapman went to New York Monday for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimball and Mrs. Fred Hamlin were in Berlin Friday.

Mrs. Arthur Cutler is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. G. King, at Norridgewock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Henderson of Upton were Sunday callers at Charles Merrill's.

Bethel Inn has purchased a new Buick station bus of the Norway Buick Company.

Miss Martha Brown was the week end guest of Miss Ruth Bennett at Mayville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston and Mrs. Laurence Lord were in Lewiston Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Austin and two sons were guests of relatives at Shelburne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Thurston and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Young were in Bath Sunday.

F. B. Jose, town manager of Rumford, was a luncheon guest of H. W. Boyker Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn, Mrs. Angella Clark and Irving Clark were in Rumford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hutchinson and son and Barbara Hutchinson were in Portland Saturday.

Mrs. F. L. Edwards and daughter, Dorothy were in Portland and Bar Mills over the week end.

Mrs. D. H. Spearin has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Holbrook, at Lynn, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Berchard Russell and son of Rumford were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merrill and daughter Beatrice and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bartlett were in Upton Sunday.

Miss Mary Sanborn spent the week end at West Bethel with her grandmother, Mrs. Sophronia Kenerson.

Dr. R. R. Tibbets has a new Dodge Brothers Senior Six sedan which he bought of the O. K. Clifford Co.

Misses Lola Gaudet and Genevieve Estes left Friday for Washington, D. C., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Louise Kelley and daughter, Lillian, have gone to Berlin to stay with Mrs. Kelley's sister for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bartlett and Mrs. Vell Bartlett of Berlin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimball Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bennett have been spending the past week in Arlington, Mass., the guest of their son, Harold Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, Mrs. Jennings and Miss Ida Cummings of Lewiston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hall Sunday.

Mrs. Lucian Littlehale, Mrs. Henry W. Boyker and Miss Ida Packard attended the Bethel Assembly at Bangor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sloan of Lewiston and Mrs. Bessie Sloan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Haggood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lapham and daughter, Esther, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Adams and son, Elton, were in Livermore Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Den Kerkhoven were in Canton Tuesday night to inspect Evergreen Chapter, O. E. S.

A pole carrying electric power and telephone wires was broken last Thursday night by a "hit-and-run" driver at Herman Mason's corner. When discovered one of the power wires was resting in a puddle in the road and was creating quite an electric lighting display.

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## Supreme Judicial Court

No Agreement on Manslaughter Case, Eighteen Divorces Granted

The first case on the criminal docket last week was an indictment against Hadjie Benjoudah for larceny from the person. The charge was that Benjoudah had taken the sum of \$430 from John J. Hodgkins of Bridgton at Watford Fair, October 6.

It appears that Mr. Hodgkins, who is 92 years old, is a night watchman for the narrow gauge railroad. He does not believe in banks and keeps his savings in rolls of \$100 in five and ten dollar bills. When he visited the fair he had ten of these rolls with him. In the course of his travels he visited the tent of Prof. Benjoudah, who professes to be an astrologer, and while there the Professor removed Hodgkins' money, blessed it and supposedly returned it. Some time after leaving the place, Hodgkins discovered a shortage and notified a deputy sheriff, who arrested Benjoudah.

The defense introduced testimony showing that the old man had been accompanied about the grounds by two men, names not known, whose reputations were not of the best, and also that the amount taken was originally set at \$200, then \$300, and finally as \$430 in the indictment.

County Attorney Planagan was for the State, and Harry M. Shaw and Alton C. Wheeler for the defense. The verdict was "guilty."

The second criminal case was against Sargent Coleman of Lovell for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor. The case took about a whole day, the jury deliberating three hours. County Attorney Planagan was for the State, and A. J. Stearns and A. E. Stearns for the defense. Verdict, "guilty."

The next case was the State vs. Carina Cundliff, who was indicted for a son in setting fire to her own house at Smith's Crossing, Rumford. This occurred July 24th. After the fire, Chief Morel of the Rumford fire department made an investigation, finding several places where fires had been set. There were two insurance policies on the house and furniture amounting to \$2500. Mrs. Cundliff stated that she was away from home at the time, returning from a neighbors with one of her children. G. A. Hutchins was attorney for the defense. The verdict was not guilty.

The case of Boris Belski for unlawful possession was next. Deputy Sheriff Berwick, Reed and Eustis visited Belski's farm in Rumford on the night of June 2, when the family was away, finding 150 gallons of cider and some gin and whiskey. The defense stated that the cider was made by Belski for his own use, and the liquor was brought there unknown to Belski by a person named Brunelle. A. E. Stearns was Belski's attorney. Verdict, guilty.

Joe Zekeiousis and Annie Zekeiousis, husband and wife, had been indicted for unlawful possession. Joe Zekeiousis tried on this indictment. Deputy Sheriff Rodrick and Eustis and Chief of Police Dennis were at the Zekeiousis place on Holyoke Ave., Rumford, on the night of Aug. 19. They found a number of people there intoxicated. The cellar bottom was wet with beer and there was some in the sink, of which they obtained a sample. A. E. Stearns appeared as attorney for the defense. Verdict, guilty.

Next was the appealed case of Joe McNeil and Mabel Arsenault of Rumford, for unlawful possession. Deputy Sheriff Rodrick, Reed and Eustis discovered the men taking alcohol from a "hide" in a vacant lot. One of the men was taken with two half pint bottles. Angela Urbane was for the defense. The verdict was not guilty.

The case of Walter J. Irvine, aged 15, of South Paris, who had been indicted for manslaughter, was taken up Friday forenoon. Gordon Wheeler, ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Wheeler, was struck and instantly killed by a Studebaker touring car owned by Kenneth Blomson and driven by Irvine on the narrow bridge at Trap Corner on Sunday, Oct. 7.

On the day of the accident Irvine and Blomson attended services at the Norway Congregational Church, after which they invited some girls to a ride. Two girls were on the front seat and one on the back seat with Blomson. They had gone to West Paris and were returning to Trap Corner when they met a Ford coupe driven by Irwin Hubbard on the bridge. They tumbled mudguards with this car and then struck the Wheeler boy, crushing him against the side of the bridge. Dr. W. B. Raymond, medical examiner, reported the cause of death was a broken neck.

The question of brakes on the Blomson car was the chief topic, the car having gone 123 feet after the accident before stopping. Officer Patton testified that he examined the brakes and they were not working properly. Irvine said he had not noticed any trouble with the brakes. Both Irvine and Blomson thought they were going about 25 miles per hour, and the argument of the defense was that Irvine was confused after the accident and lost control temporarily.

## BETHEL MAN LOSES CAR

A Ford touring car belonging to O. C. Bryant was stolen last Saturday. A young man, giving his name as Belmont Hatch, hired the car to go and get his pay for working on the road. It appears that two young men, Arthur and Ralph Mosher, one of whom had hired the car, were seen by Bethel people driving the Bryant car toward Upton, and they staid Saturday night at Errol. There they sold the spotlight which was on the car. When taken the car bore Maine license plates 12194 and had a spotlight, moto-meter and hub odometer.

County Attorney Planagan was for the State and E. Walker Abbott and Alton C. Wheeler for the defense. The jury went out about 10 o'clock Saturday morning. At 4:30 that afternoon they had reached no agreement and were excused. Irvine was released on \$1000 bonds for his appearance at court from term to term.

Saturday afternoon the following sentences were handed out by Justice Dunn:

Raymond O. Winter, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor. Sixty days in jail.

Dominic Gironda, unlawful possession. Fine of \$300 and three months in jail, or in default of fine six months additional.

John Velash, Rudolph Patnaude and Leo Groux, boys of about 14, breaking and entering and larceny. Committed to State School for Boys during their minority, or an alternative sentence of ninety days in jail.

Ralph Thomas, Joseph Karisko and George Ganvin, boys of about 18, larceny. Sentenced to thirty days in jail, to date from Sept. 21, the time when they were committed on this charge.

Bronis Belaskis, convicted of unlawful possession. Fine of \$100 and two months in jail.

Joe Zekeiousis, unlawful possession. Fine of \$200 and three months in jail.

William LaFrance, nuisance. Fine of \$300 and four months in jail.

Lucian Brunelle, illegal transportation. Fine of \$300 and three months in jail.

Otto Koski, possession of still and mash. Fine of \$100 and two months in jail.

Aron Greunan, manufacturing liquor. Fine of \$100 and two months in jail, to date from Aug. 21.

Darwin M. Sweet and Vera Gallant, adulterers. Sentenced eight months in jail. Merrill E. Porter and Charlotte Smith, adulterers. Porter committed to Men's Reformatory. Charlotte Smith, four months in jail.

Joseph Danour, failure to support wife. Ordered to pay his wife ten dollars per week for one year, and to recognize in the sum of \$300.

Merle Swan, forgery of check. Three months in jail.

Arthur J. Patnaude, operating motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor. Fine of \$100 and costs.

Hadjie Benjoudah, larceny from the person. Sentence, not less than one year nor more than two years in state prison.

Dora Draksas, who had pleaded guilty to manufacturing liquor. Case continued for sentence.

Edward Walton of Lewiston, was before the court Monday on charge of drunken driving. It was reported that he was unable to attend court but Judge Dunn ordered the sheriffs to get him, which they did. The charge was brought against him by Constable Bennett of Bethel, following a crash at North Bethel on the night of July 11th. In the Norway Municipal Court he pleaded not guilty. He was fined \$300 and given 30 days in jail and a license was returned against him by the grand jury at this term of court. He was given a sentence of two months in jail.

Eighteen divorces were granted. Billie E. Harding from Charles H. Harding; non support. Custody of children to mother. Father to pay \$12 a week for their care.

Morris Davenport from Frances Davenport; after desertion.

Sadie E. M. Lewis from Matthias W. McLean; after desertion.

Alton Palmer from Lora E. Palmer; adultery.

George W. Briggs from Francis E. Briggs; after desertion.

Anton Niemi from Lena Niemi; after desertion. Custody of child to father.

Daniel Noraker from Dagmar W. Noraker; after desertion.

Minerva Anderson from Ralph W. Anderson; after desertion. Care of child to mother.

Flurence M. Bailey from E. L. Bailey; extreme cruelty.

Sadie B. Silver from Charles H. Silver; cruel and abusive treatment. Care of child to mother. Labels to pay \$2 a week for custody of child.

Winifred Howard from Harold Howard; cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of four children to mother.

Sherburne York from Flora M. York; cruel and abusive treatment.

Wilma M. Sweet from Marcom C. Sweet; cruel and abusive treatment.

Annie E. Smith from Irving E.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LETTER WRITING CONTEST

The eight boys and girls of this county included in the 112 agricultural club members who made the trip to the Eastern States Exposition in Springfield, Mass., last month, as guests of the Maine State Chamber of Commerce, are entitled to take part in a prize letter writing contest.

The State Chamber offers prizes of \$10, \$10 and \$5 for the three best letters received before Nov. 10, from the 112 Maine boys and girls who composed the Springfield party. Three judges will be chosen to make the awards.

A letter, signed by President George P. West and Secretary A. L. T. Cummings of the State Chamber, outlining the plan of the contest, contains these suggestions to those who are to compete:

Tell us in your letters what real benefits, other than pleasures, you received during the nine days you were absent from your homes.

What interested you most? Will the experience help you in your school work and club work? Will you be better able, because of the trip, to help in your home and your community?

Is it your opinion that the State Chamber of Commerce should make the Springfield trip an annual feature? If so, why?

## ROUND MOUNTAIN GRANGE

Round Mountain Grange held its regular meeting Oct. 20 with a large number in attendance. They are preparing for a sale, Harvest Supper and dance on the afternoon and evening of Oct. 31st. All patrons and friends are cordially invited to attend. After the routine work the following literary program was enjoyed.

Roll Call, conundrum, Reading, "Who Was to Blame," All Song.

Reading, "An Opinion," Mrs. Bruce Song. Mrs. Francis Wardwell Reading, "An Opinion."

Question: "What is being done to develop the resources of the Community, and who is doing the work?" Opened by Bro. Donahue, followed by E. H. Wardwell, A. A. Bruce and others.

Ruth Kimball Piano solo, Hazel Wardwell Reading, "It Couldn't Be Done," Olive Little Closing song, "Bliss Be the Tie," Grange closed in form.

## IMPERSONATOR AT CHAUTAUQUA

Roseth Knapp Breed, who gives the afternoon program of the second afternoon of the coming Chautauqua, is said to be absolutely without a peer in her particular line of work. She is not an ordinary reader. She has developed a new art. She is a remarkable impersonator of humorous characters with an unusual understanding of human nature. Her wonderful natural ability enables her to depict different characters in such a way that her own personality fades and you are conscious only of the character she is portraying. She does not exaggerate to get her effects. She makes folks live, and the audience does not laugh at them, but with them.

Who has not met the fatuous mother, the tiresome spoiled child, the woman who uses her mouth and not her brain, the gum-chewing girl?

Willie Mrs. Breed aims to amuse and "chase dull care away," there is always at least one number on her program that grips the heart. She has woven her program together so that there are no tedious waits. Without the use of wigs or grease paint, but, gifted with an unusual voice and wonderful facial expression, by using costumes, she is able to make quick changes on the platform while the audience watches each transformation.

The Toledo Times said of Roseth Knapp Breed: "Through her affiliation with the Lyceum and Chautauqua because the theatrical profession has lost a wonderful character artist."

Mrs. Breed is by no means dependent upon costumes, her monologues and humorous dialect sketches given in evening dress are some of the charming parts of her program.

She has appeared on the Chautauqua and Lyceum platforms from the Atlantic to the Pacific, in the United States and Canada, with many noted lecturers; among whom are Chief Justice William Howard Taft, William Jennings Bryan, Ruth Bryan Owens, Irvin Cobb, Lorado Taft and Mark Sullivan.

The latter, after hearing Mrs. Breed give an impersonation of "Aunt Eliza" from down in Maine, said, "You have given me a rare treat the past ten minutes. I thought I was back in old New England."

Smith; non support.

Any Proctor from Percy Proctor; gross and confirmed habits of intoxication.

Minnie J. Goodfellow from Bernard Goodfellow; cruel and abusive treatment.

Bella H. Coburn from Archie Coburn; cruel and abusive treatment.

Crystal Herrick from Frank H. Herrick; desertion. Custody of child to mother.

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## Morgan—Curtis

A quiet wedding occurred Friday evening, Oct. 19, at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, West Paris, when Robert C. Morgan and Calista Curtis of Greenwood were united in marriage.

The couple were attended by Miss Ina Potter of Montreal and Ernest Maudt of Bethel.

Mrs. Morgan is the daughter of Ernest Curtis of Greenwood and was graduated from Gould Academy, class of 1926. Since her graduation she has taught in Greenwood schools.

## Mrs. Thomas W. Vashaw

The many friends of Mrs. Thomas Vashaw were grieved to learn of her death which occurred at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, about 2:45 Wednesday morning, October 17. Her death was the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident on Wednesday, October 3, on the Shelburne road. Although Mrs. Vashaw's injuries were severe, hopes were entertained that she might recover and everything that loving care and expert medical attention could devise was tried but in vain.

Sadie G. Scribner Vashaw was born in Bethel, 49 years ago, the daughter of the late E. H. Scribner and Mary M. Tyler Scribner. Her girlhood was spent in her native town where she attended school. About 30 years ago she was united in marriage to Thomas Vashaw. Mrs. Vashaw was a true helpmate in every sense of the word. Her husband who has been for years with the Woods department of the Brown Company, holding a responsible position, was for a number of years in charge of lumbering camps employing large crews of men. Mrs. Vashaw went with her husband and worked as cook. Her kindness and thoughtfulness of the men when they were sick and the tender care she gave them has often been spoken of and there are many who will remember her many acts of kindness.

Mrs. Vashaw was a true Christian woman, who believed in doing everything to help alleviate the suffering of an unfortunate neighbor. She did a great deal of charity and her hospitality and kindness were well known by her friends.

Funeral services were held Friday at one o'clock from the Congregational Church at Berlin. Rev. Henry Stallard officiated. Interment was in the family lot at West Bethel where Rev. L. A. Edwards offered prayer and the members of Bethel Grange were in attendance. The abundance of beautiful flowers were silent testimony of the esteem and respect in which she was held by relatives and friends.

Mrs. Vashaw is survived by her husband and a daughter, Eloyce, of Berlin, and two sisters, Mrs. Stella Goodridge of West Bethel and Mrs. F. O. Robertson of Bethel.

## FARM BUREAU NEWS

Little Red Hen Club to Meet Saturday Morning

There will be a meeting of the Little Red Hen Club at the Granger School building, Saturday morning, Oct. 27, at 10 o'clock.

It is planned to continue the club work through the winter by taking up the Poultry Management Project.

Miss Plummer, the County Club Agent, will be present to explain the work.

The parents of the Club members and any interested friends are cordially invited to be present to hear Miss Plummer and so get a better idea of what the Club work is, and means to the boys and girls and the community.

Now is the time to see that your boy has at least ten good pollets and starts with the rest in this new Club Project.

IMPORTANCE OF 4-H CLUB WORK IN OXFORD COUNTY

Club work is important in Oxford County to train the young people in better practices in Agriculture and Home Economics. It gets hold of them while their minds are plastic and gives them guidance when they need it. It provides opportunity for them to share their ability and gives them a part in solving problems.

Club work trains the boys and girls to conduct meetings in an orderly way, to demonstrate, and it teaches them how to work and cooperate with others. It develops leadership and emphasizes the home.

Club work in Oxford County in a condensed form; we have the following characteristics:

1. 4-H club boys and girls are demonstrators.

2. 4-H club boys and girls work.

3. 4-H club boys and girls do the needful, wholesome and helpful thing.

4. 4-H club boys and girls play the game fairly.

5. 4-H club boys and girls work together, play together, cooperate and achieve.

6. 4-H club boys and girls build up their bodies and health through right living. They train their hands to be useful, the minds to think clearly; their hearts are kind.

## School Notes

Grade 7, Bethel Grammar School

Ranks for week ending October 19, 100% in Spelling: Mary Tibbets, Marguerite Hall, Winona Chapin, and Walter Jodrey.

90%, or above, in Spelling: Ruth Aubin, Stanley Vashaw, Richard Marshall, Richard Davis, Eldredge Berry, Paul Browne, Stanley Allen and Evelyn Eaman.

100% in Arithmetic: Mary Tibbets, Winona Chapin, Marguerite Hall, Walter Jodrey, Eldredge Berry, and Stanley Allen.

90%, or above, in Arithmetic: Ruth Aubin, Delmar Morgan, Stanley Vashaw, Richard Marshall, Richard Davis, Paul Browne, Warren Reddy, Edwin Brown and Hoyt Gunther.

## MIDDLE INTERVALE SCHOOL

Ranks for the week ending October 19th.

Those having 100% in Spelling were: Raymond Buck, Paul Carter, George Brown, Lester Balentine, Jennie, Bertha and Hazel Winslow.

Those whose averages were above 90% were: Jeanette Sanborn, Stanley Carter and Mervin Buck.

Those whose rank in Arithmetic was above 95% were: Raymond Buck, Mervin Buck, Ada Cotton, Helen Stevens, Jeannette Sanborn, Jennie, Arline and Bertha Winslow, Paul Carter.

## WEST BETHEL GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Those having 100% in Arithmetic for the week ending October 20 were: Albert Wheeler, Alfred Taylor, Phyllis Bennett, Marguerite Brooks, Edwin Bennett, Ernest Wheeligh, Arthur Gilbert, Chester Wheeler, Alice Tyler, Wilma Martin, Kathryn Hilliard.

Those having 95% to 100% were: Muriel Martin, George Gilbert, Robert Whitman, Russell Wingo.

Those having 100% in Spelling were: Albert Wheeler, Alfred Taylor, Muriel Martin, Phyllis Bennett, Marguerite Brooks, Ernest Wheeligh, George Gilbert, Robert Whitman, Edgar Wheeler, Alice Tyler, Wilma Martin, Kathryn Hilliard.

Those having 95% to 100% were: Raymond Tyler, Eugene Cushing, Nathalie Murch, Chester Wheeler.

## WEST BETHEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

The following pupils received 100% in Spelling for the week: Jessie Brooks, and Margaret Bennett.

Others having an average of 90% or over were: Lawrence Perry 95%, Barbara Martin 95%, Catherine Dean 95%, George Lutton 95%, Warren Tyler 94%, Herbert McKenzie 94%, Rodney Martin 94%, Donald Lutton 92%, Florice Grover 92%.

Margaret Bennett had 100% in Arithmetic.

Others having an average of 90% or over were: Catherine Dean 95%, George Lutton 95%, Rodney Martin 95%, Warren Tyler 95%, Lawrence Perry 94%, Florice Grover, 94%, Jessie Brooks 90%.

## SUNDAY RIVER SCHOOL NOTES

Mary Dean has received 100% in Spelling every day for the last month.

The pupils not absent or tardy for the month were: Phyllis Williamson, Mary, Winifred, Ina and Earnestine Dean, Grace and Carl Nowlin.

We have a new flag and flag pole.

## Grade III, Bethel Primary School

Those receiving 100% in Arithmetic for the week ending Oct. 19, were as follows: Helen Crouse, Royden Kelly, John King and Marietta Walker.

Those receiving an average of 95% were: John Berry, Barbara Dean, Vivian Berry, Alton Cross, Marjorie Fish, Margrete Gallant, Robert Gordon, Genevieve Gould, Ethel Jodrey, Edna MacMillan, Geralline Stanley, Christi Thurston, Marietta Walker and Mary Wheeler.

## I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION

The installation of officers of Mount Abram Lodge, No. 31, I. O. O. F., was held at their hall, Friday evening, October 12. The installing officers were D. D. Grand Master Hollis B. Doughty and D. D. Grand Marshal Arthur Dean.

The following were installed: N. O.—Owen Damerill.

V. G.—Herman Mawon.

Secretary—A. C. Brinck.

Treasurer—C. K. Fox.

Chaplain—F. E. Russell.

R. S. N. G.—W. F. Clark.

L. S. N. G.—H. T. Sawin.

Warden—Jasper Gates.

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L. S. G.—A. H. Gibbs.

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2 Alarm, repeated at one minute intervals, Main Hill.

3 Alarm, repeated at two minute intervals, Church, Park, Upper High, Upper Summer, Elm Streets.

4 Alarm, repeated at two minute intervals, Main to Bryant's, Spruce, Spring, Brighton, Chapman Streets.

5 Alarm, repeated at two minute intervals, Lower Main, Mechanic, Clark, Lower High, Lower Summer, Vernon Streets.

6 Alarm, repeated at two minute intervals, Main, Mill Yards and Railroad Street.

**IN CASE OF FIRE**—Call the telephone office, tell the operator where the fire is, and she will tend to the alarm immediately.

**TIME TABLE**  
 Effective Sept. 9, 1928

## EASTBOUND

	Daily	Sun.	Fri.
	A. M.	only	P. M.
Island Pond	6:15	6:25	6:25
Bethel	7:05	7:15	7:15
Clark	7:15	7:25	7:25
ATWELL (W. Bethel)	7:25	7:35	7:35
BETHEL	8:01	8:11	8:11
Clark's Mill	8:10	8:20	8:20
Ingalls' Pond	8:19	8:29	8:29
Baker (W. Bethel)	8:27	8:37	8:37
Clark's Pond	8:35	8:45	8:45
Clark's Mill	8:43	8:53	8:53
Island Pond	11:05	11:15	11:15

## WESTBOUND

	Daily	Sun.	Fri.
	A. M.	only	P. M.
Island Pond	7:20	7:30	7:30
Clark's Mill	8:11	8:21	8:21
Bethel	8:21	8:31	8:31
Baker (W. Bethel)	8:29	8:39	8:39
Clark's Mill	8:37	8:47	8:47
Ingalls' Pond	8:45	8:55	8:55
Clark's Pond	8:53	9:03	9:03
Clark's Mill	9:01	9:11	9:11
Island Pond	11:05	11:15	11:15

## IF YOU' NEED

Letterheads Cards  
 Invitations Folders  
 Statements Circulars  
 Envelopes Billheads  
 or anything else in the printing line, come in and see us.

## SUBTLETY.

An Oxford undergraduate, a son of the village, discovered he was uncomfortably short of money, so he spent some time concocting a letter that would have the right effect upon a somewhat severe parent.

When finally completed, the letter read as follows:

"My dear father, I wonder if you will oblige me very greatly by sending me a copy of this month's parish magazine, and a five-pound note? P. S.—Don't forget the parish magazine."

## Not Responsible

Husband (anxiously)—My wife seems not to have the slightest interest in life.

Doctor—What makes you think that?

"Well, I've tried her with golf, billiards, football and racing, and it's just like talking to a stone!"

## WHAT FLAVOR?



"I shot got in a jam yesterday, Jim."

"What kinda jam, Billy?"

"Think it was strawberry."

## Wonderful

"You know Dorothy—great fellow for detail."

"He is, that! He's the sort of chap who would go and get married and be able afterward to tell you whether it was Mendelssohn, Lohengrin or Tannhauser they played during the ceremony."

## Won't Need It Long

Auto Prospector—You have shown me that your new car can go 70 miles an hour. But will such a car last?

Agent—My dear friend, don't let that worry you. Anyone who drives 70 miles an hour will not need any car long.

## Confused Orders

Household (sounding bells)—Look here, you'll have to get your dressmaker to cut out some of those dresses you've ordered.

Wife—Thank you, darling. I'll phone her to start on them at once! They're perfectly sweet patterns!

## One Last Request

Doctor—About nice patients out of town don't like through this operation. Is there anything I can do for you before we begin?

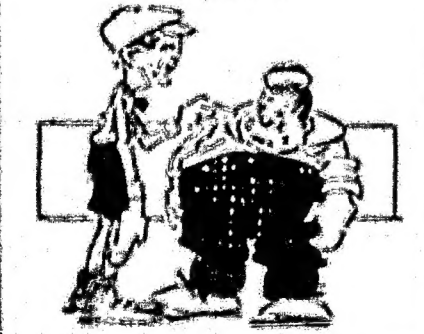
Drunk Patient—Yes, sir. Kindly hand me my hat—"Selected" by the Congregationist.

## Easily Named

Very Friendly Visitor—Did you have any difficulty in choosing names for babies?

Fond Mother—Not the slightest. You see, dear, we've only one rich relative.

## THE BEST



Shee Kid—What does like best about school?

Fat Kid—Goin' home from it.

## Literature

A novelist was chatting with his publisher. "By the way, where did you get the plot of your second novel?" asked the latter.

"From the Elm version of the first," was the reply.

## What Does It Matter?

"Did you really understand the learned lecture you heard last night?"

"No, but that didn't matter. I had a free ticket"—Gentlefolk's Gazette (Bellevue).

## Another Problem Solved

Dick—I mailed a letter addressed to "the dumbest man in Chicago." I wonder who they'd deliver it to?

Donald (innocently)—They'd probably return it to the sender.

## Making It Real

Clark (sounding cane)—There! I've just sent an imaginary ball over the sky line.

Fred Up Member—Well, go straight away and play your second.

## Talented

Gives—Polly's been spreading gossip about you.

June—Yes, that girl collects dirt like a vacuum cleaner and puts it out like a carpet sweeper.

## The Slippers of Destiny

By JUNE WATSON

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RAYMOND found the package on his table when he went up to dress for the Flemmings' dance. He had thought that he would give up dancing, but this was a particular occasion, Billy Flemmings having a birthday and his wife insisting on a real old-time party.

So Raymond had tied himself to his favorite shoe shop and been fitted to dancing pumps, and the oblong box testified to their arrival at the last minute. Raymond dressed leisurely, and when he had finished he untied the oblong box and opened it.

There he stopped aghast. Instead of a pair of shiny patent leather pumps, he found nestling in the white tissue paper a tiny pair of high-heeled slippers, frivolous cloth of gold trifles that glistened in the light.

"Hang it all—of course, I can't wear these," he told the world in a complaining tone. "Of all the absurd mistakes—well, Mrs. Billy, you can count one dancing man out." He put the little slippers away in his chest-drawer, smiling indulgently at them as he did so. Some little busy thing might be sighing for those very slippers, but she could not help smiling at the sight of his new and shining pumps when they reached her!

"Not dancing?" asked Mrs. Billy, frowning at him.

He told her that, lacking dancing shoes, he had ordered them and had been disappointed in their delivery.

"You are like poor Nellie Warren—she says she received an enormous pair of men's shoes instead of her own—she is wearing an old pair and is as cross as can be. Go and find her and dance with her—fellow sufferers should console each other."

Raymond skirted the dancers and found a comfortable place for well-dressed, He wondered which girl would prove to be Nellie Warren. He rather liked her name, simple and unassuming, but she would have been splendid in gold slippers!

He fell to watching the dancing feet of the girls, noting the dainty footgear until his eyes were dazzled with the procession of silver slippers and gold slippers and colored ones. Then he started, for tripping along in perfect time to Bill Flemmings' wonderful feet, were a tiny pair of shabby gray slippers—they were emergency shoes, he knew, for they were worn with golden laces and a golden tissue frill.

The girl herself—he caught a glimpse of a dark, bewitching face, golden laced eyes, a flash of rose color in cheeks and lips, and she was gone. She might not be his Cinderella of the slippers, but she was undoubtedly a wonder girl.

"Hello!" followed Flemmings' voice beside him. "Do take care of Miss Warren—Raymond, Arch Raymond—you've heard of him Nellie; can't dance to-night because he hasn't any shoes. I am called to the phone—"

He drifted away into the crowd and Raymond smiled down at the wonder girl whom Fate had sent to him.

"Aren't you going to dance?" she asked as her little feet kept time to the dancing music.

He glanced down at his feet. "I might try—I'm a clumsy beggar at my best," he apologized.

"Don't play the said teasingly after a while as they caused for breath: if you only had the stunning pair of patent leather pumps that came to me instead of my own darling golden shoes—you couldn't dance a bit better than you do!"

"Is that a compliment or other, what?"

"It isn't otherwise!" she laughed. Later in the evening they had danced together so often that people were smiling indulgently at Arch Raymond. His appearance at a dance was a mark of signal triumph for his hostess, and that he should be wearing slippers of the shabby of penance!

Nellie Warren was a social triumph for the girl.

They had supper together, and when the huge birthday cake was cut, it was Nellie Warren who found a ring in her shoe. "I've had the most delightful time," she sighed as they said good night.

"I shall never forget it," he said gravely, "and perhaps, tomorrow you will let me come and bring Cinderella's slippers."

"You had them?" she gasped.

He nodded. "Mine went to you, and yours to me. If I had not seen you—"

"I am sorry," she said, "but I am not a short acquaintance."

"I may come!" he asked instead.

"Of course—I am staying with the Flemmings."

So he went home—back to his room where the golden slippers were locked in his chest-drawer. Suppose he did take them out of their wrappings and reverently kiss each bit of glistening gold—were they not the shoes of destiny—had not their owner danced her way into his heart? And she had not their eyes met?

He put the shoes away, his young eyes dreaming.

He knew that love had come at last.

## Today's First Duty

The future has the right to come of our thoughts, but not to all of it. The present should engage our sole attention. The duty of the day, performed to the best of our ability is the real preparation for the task of tomorrow.—Gail.

At New York banquets the "stop" and "go" semaphores are being used to handle speech traffic. Now we know what was meant by the wise men of the East.

New York state has reported its first case of tularemia, which was traced to the patient's handling rabbits for cooking and infecting a sore spot on his hand.

Fairy Story: "A large number of persons watched me at my work," said the sign painter, "and when I misspelled a word several of them spoke to me about it."

Another thing those magazines don't tell us about, is how the big city success named Joe or something goes back to the old home town, and somebody says, "Hello, Charley?"

Americans bought chewing gum valued at \$100,000,000 last year. It had two ultimate goals—the restaurant chair whose under edge it decorates and the sole of the pedestrian's shoe.

The babassu nut of Brazil is said to be so hard that it requires a pressure of 1,000 pounds to break it. In no other respect does it have the slightest resemblance to our early cantaloupe.

Another of the comical things that got into the news from time to time is the announcement, after a couple of inane political remarks have conferred for about three hours and a half, that politics was not discussed.

A contract has just been let for the shoring up of the leaning tower of Pisa, but with the stipulation that it must not be pushed back to the perpendicular. Those modern Romans understand the value of advertising.

Statistics inform us that the number of playing cards manufactured in the United States last year averaged three packs to each man, woman and child. This seems a small amount—there must be some families where they don't play bridge.

## HARD LUCK, INDEED, FOR THE GOSSIPS

A conversation between two women, one of whom was hard of hearing, interested the passengers of a crowded car.

"I saw her on the street downtown with a man."

"Is that so?"

"Yes, and it was after ten o'clock, too."

"The very idea."

"I never suspected her of flirting before."

"No, nor me, either."

"But you can never tell."

"Ain't it the truth?"

"It is that."

"Do you know her husband?"

"No, I ain't never seen him close."

"Well, he is a big fat man."

"Does he wear a brown suit?"

"Yes."

"Smoke a pipe?"

"Uh, huh!"

There was deepest disappointment in the woman's voice as she exclaimed:

"Fiddlesticks! Then it was only her husband after all."—Chicago Post.

## New Holdup Wrinkle

A brand-new type of holdup man appeared recently near Woodland, Calif. Martin Bessefort, rancher, was changing peacefully through the night in his small automobile when a car containing three men drew alongside. One of them deftly twisted a lasso over Bessefort's car and it was dragged into a ditch. The victim's automobile was damaged, stripped of accessories and Bessefort was robbed of \$10 in cash.

## Italy Bars Bargaining

Tourists to Italy who follow the advice given in guidebooks as to bargain stores and shops may now find it very difficult, if not impossible, to get even a few cents taken off the prices asked. Following the revaluation of the lira, a decree has been issued making fixed prices obligatory on all shopkeepers. Only in the case of high-class jewelry, valuable pictures and antique furniture, may bargaining still be resorted to legally.

Politics is played and the public is worked.

Missionaries can explain their religion. The hard part is to explain their civilization.

It's the fellow who isn't asleep that is most certain to wake up and find himself famous.

Pennsylvania has never relinquished her claim to be recognized in politics as the Keystone state.

Just in case nobody remembers to mention it between now and November: Get out and vote.

Once upon a time a Chinese army marched for four hours without trespassing on a foreign concession.

Why not just combine those jolly county fair pastimes and have the hog callers try to catch a greased pig?

Our fruit-growers are right up to the minute in most respects, but they still have a "maiden's blush" apple.

Polar explorers may one day be called upon to add to their difficulties by trying to organize the Eskimo vote.

Reduction in air mail postage is based on a sound theory. It takes quantity production to reduce the "overhead."

It must be a good deal of a jolt to change all of a sudden from a university graduate to a mere guy looking for a job.

The reason the farm movement isn't popular is because it consists in placing one foot in front of another at 4 a. m.

There's not much wrong in a land where our other troubles seem trivial compared with the fact that another tooth needs filling.

A statue of Columbus 70 feet tall is to be erected at the port of Palos, in Spain, from which Columbus sailed on his famous voyage.

## THE COLDER THE BETTER



Do you like your food served cold these first hot days of summer? The colder the better—majority of people—for the refreshing effects of a chilled dessert or a cool, crisp salad are well known.

Of all the fruits in common use, pineapple is one of the best for summer, for its sweet, yet slightly sharp, flavor has decidedly cooling properties. And when the pineapple dish is chilled or frozen, this flavor seems somehow to be intensified.

This is the reason why the use of pineapple in summer desserts and salads has become so popular with the wise housewife. She serves pineapple sherbet and ice cream, and makes it a part of her choicest salads. Pineapple, papaya, and gelatin with pineapple are all on her list of desserts. And what better combination could there be in a cocktail than pineapple and summer fruits?

Here are some of the recipes for cooling dishes which bring out the full flavor of the pineapple.

## Cooling Climaxes

**Pineapple Mint Bavarian.** Soften one tablespoon gelatin in two tablespoons cold water. Bring the contents of one can of 2 can of crushed Hawaiian pineapple, one-third cup sugar and one-half cup cream. Beat until smooth and creamy. Clean ten sticks of celery (each five inches long); fill cavities with the above mixture. Chill for two hours then cut into one-half inch pieces. Combine two cups drained Hawaiian pineapple and the celery, and mix with one-fourth cup of pineapple dressing. Arrange on bed of crisp lettuce and garnish with celery curls. Top with sprigs of the following dressing.

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sections dipped in granulated sugar.

**Coffee Pineapple Foam.** Soften one tablespoon gelatin in two tablespoons cold water then dissolve in one cup hot coffee. Add one-third cup sugar and one-half cup pineapple syrup. Cool, and when about to set, beat until creamy with an egg beater. Add one cup diced sliced pineapple, one-half cup chopped nuts and the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs, and let harden. Serve very cold, topped with whipped cream.

**Pineapple Blanc Manger.** Scald two and one-half cups milk in double boiler. Thoroughly blend seven tablespoons cornstarch, one-fourth teaspoon salt and one-half cup pineapple syrup. Add very carefully to the milk to prevent curdling, and cook in double boiler until thick, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, fold in two stiffly beaten egg whites and one cup crushed Hawaiian pineapple. Mold and chill. Serve with cream.

**Some Refreshing Salads**

**Surprise Salad.** Combine one and one-half cakes cream cheese (three ounce size), two tablespoons salt, dash paprika and pepper and three drops onion juice. Beat with fork until smooth and creamy. Clean ten sticks of celery (each five inches long); fill cavities with the above mixture. Chill for two hours then cut into one-half inch pieces. Combine two cups drained Hawaiian pineapple and the celery, and mix with one-fourth cup of pineapple dressing. Arrange on bed of crisp lettuce and garnish with celery curls. Top with sprigs of the following dressing.

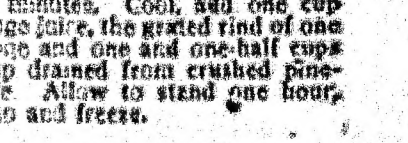
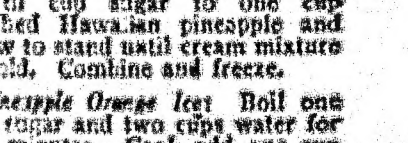
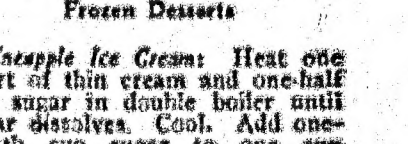
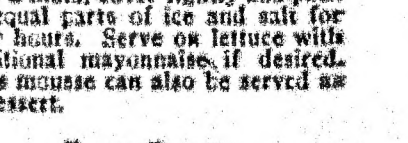
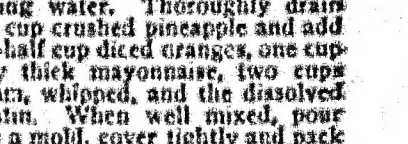
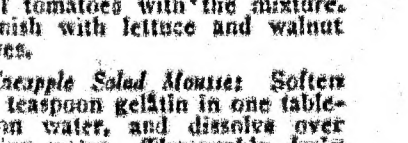
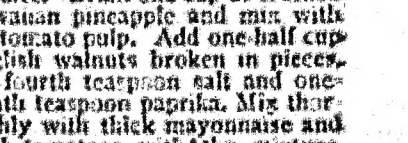
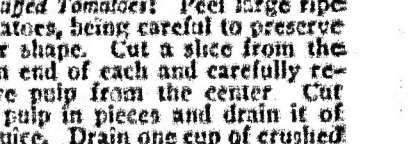
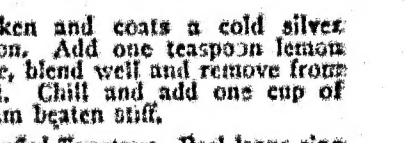
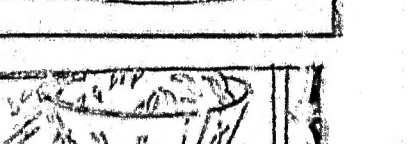
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**Pineapple Salad Mousse.** Soften one teaspoon gelatin in one tablespoon water, and dissolve over boiling water. Thoroughly drain one cup crushed pineapple and add one-half cup diced oranges, one cup very thick mayonnaise, two cups cream, whipped, and the dissolved gelatin. When well mixed, pour into a mold, cover tightly and pack in equal parts of ice and salt for four hours. Serve on lettuce with additional mayonnaise, if desired. This mousse can also be served as a dessert.

## Frozen Desserts

**Pineapple Ice Cream.** Heat one quart of thin cream and one-half cup sugar in double boiler until sugar dissolves. Cool. Add one-fourth cup sugar to one cup crushed Hawaiian pineapple and allow to stand until cream mixture is cold. Combine and freeze.

**Pineapple Orange Ice.** Boil one cup sugar and two cups water for five minutes. Cool, add one cup orange juice, the grated rind of one orange and one and one-half cups scum drained from crushed pineapple. Allow to stand one hour, strain and freeze.





## It Was "Blind Man's Luck"

By HELEN R. BARTON

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"YOU are making a mistake, my boy," said Stephen Brand to his nephew. "Money isn't everything. You can win and lose a whole lot of money but the sunsets and rainbows and beauties of nature can only do your soul good through the medium of your eyes. It is a mistake to risk possible blindness for money and the things it can buy."

The telephone shrilled and Dexter Brand went smiling to answer it, his old uncle's advice already slipping heedlessly away.

Dexter left the telephone, having promised to take Adele Merner to the theater that night and a night club afterward. It was because of Adele that Dexter was driving himself on to possible wealth. Adele with the corn-color hair and the corn-flower eyes and the eager, greedy pursuit of everything that was new, expensive and interesting, Adele who inspired a fellow to tread the rosy clouds of high romance with her soft, tender, babyish little ways, so cleverly concealing the hard, brittle, calculating spirit underneath.

"Did you see a doctor, Dex?" asked Adele as she snuggled down in the roadster that night on the way to the theater.

"Advised me to lay off—get away from my invention."

"Oh! But why? Is he afraid? Why did he advise that, Dex?"

"Oh, he mentioned possible blindness, later on."

"But Dexter—not before you've finished your invention?" asked Adele, a sharp little clip to her usually soft voice.

"Oh, no. I'll have that done. Don't worry. I only saw one specialist; another might disagree entirely with him!"

"There's a young lady waiting in the reception room," announced Biggs, Uncle Steve's aged butler, a few days later. "She said something about an ad."

Robbing his achting eyes nervously with his thin hands, Dexter gazed upon the most beautiful girl he had ever seen.

"You wanted a secretary who understood mechanical business enough to take notes, and I feel qualified, because you see my father was an inventor."

The voice was low and sweet; in perfect keeping with her beauty, Dexter decided, and he flushed as he said: "I'm sure you'll do. But the salary is small, and you'll have to live here with my uncle and me. I work all hours, you know!"

"That will be quite all right; I'm familiar with the erratic hours of inventors," she said, smiling, and Dexter forgot his eyes for the first time in many weeks.

In the sputtering light of an acetylene torch, the grotesque figure of a man in a green hood stood feverishly at a work bench. At his side, a girl with curling coppery hair working equally fast at a note book.

The telephone rang and Sheila Burns went reluctantly to answer it. "For you, Mr. Brand. Miss Merner."

"Sorry," said Dexter into the receiver. "It's impossible, Adele. Oh, be sensible, for heaven's sake! It won't be more than a day more."

Then a sharp gasp as a pain, a moment of doubt and then: "Find a lamp, will you, Miss Burns—the lights seem to have left us. What? My God!" And that was how Dexter Brand found himself suddenly stopped, just as success and fame seemed within reach.

Adele went abroad the next week, after she had ascertained definitely from Sheila Burns that Dexter might be blind a lifetime and that he had most certainly not finished the invention that was to make him rich and famous.

"I guess you were right, uncle," remarked Dexter one morning. "I should have stopped to store up a few memories, with my eyes. Now I've lost the eyes and the possible money, too! And even the woman I loved turned me down."

"I used to think that Sheila liked me a little," he went on, "but even she seems to have forgotten me."

"Oh, no I haven't, I've just been busy," remarked Sheila who had just come in. "I've been down to register your patent and see a specialist."

"Why?" demanded the blind man. "Surely not for money! You alone knew how little I had!"

"No, don't you understand that one does things for other reasons?"

"Yes, I know that, now. But even if you did—like me a lot, I may never be able to ask you—"

"That's true; because I wouldn't marry you if you were well. And I'm pretty certain that you won't be blind very long—not if this German specialist is right."

"If you mean that you care enough for me to—marry me—now?" asked Dexter softly.

"If you don't ask me pretty soon your chance will be gone!"

"Come here, you darling," he said, half under his breath, and when she stood before him, he rose unsteadily, and gathered her hungrily into his arms, murmuring incoherent terms of endearment.

A long time later, after Sheila had gone, he told his amazing luck to his delighted uncle, adding, "Blind man's luck, eh?"

## WEST GREENWOOD

Howard Armstrong called at W. A. Holt's Sunday.

Leslie Merrill was in this vicinity recently.

Arthur Cross caught a large bear in a trap Saturday night.

Jim Croteau was a caller in town recently.

Willard Cole called at Mr. Martin's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cross have returned from Kennebunk.

Mr. Hadakin and son, Perley, were in Paris recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Maines of Westbrook are at their camp here for a few days.

Dan Spearin was a caller in town Sunday.

Ernest Cross has finished picking the apples on his farm.

John Harrington called at his home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill were at their farm here recently.

## Education Routs Prejudice

Prejudices, it is well known, are most difficult to eradicate from the heart whose soil has never been loosened or fertilized by education; they grow there, firm as weeds among rocks.—Charlotte Bronfe.

## WATERFORD

A quiet wedding took place at the parsonage on Saturday evening, Oct. 20, when Rev. A. C. Townsend united in marriage Miss Lillian E. Millett and Mahlon L. Rogers. Mrs. Rogers is the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Millett of Waterford. She was graduated last June from Bridgton Academy. Mr. Rogers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Rogers of Norridgewock. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will make their home in Waterford for the present where he has a position as cream gatherer for the Waterford Creamery.

The residence of the late Miss Susan Wilkins has been purchased by Mrs. J. H. Wilson of Philadelphia, and is being thoroughly repaired to be used as a summer home. The people of Waterford are much pleased to have the Wilsons added to their permanent summer colony.

A Circle Supper was served in the Masonic Hall last Friday evening.

## Few Do It

Another good intelligence test is the ability to memorize good poetry—and never quote it!—San Francisco Chronicle.

## HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cummings and daughter spent the week end at their camp at Silver Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardy of Sanford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dyer over Sunday.

Llewellyn Fogg and family of Westbrook, were recent visitors in town.

Handover was well represented at the picture "King of Kings", at Rumford, last week.

Marguerite Gainer is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Gainer.

Mrs. Eva Hayford and son motored to Auburn, Sunday.

Mary Elliott of Rumford Point and Everett Clough of Cape Porpoise, were supper guests of Genie Saunders, Wednesday.

Mishemokwa Temple met Friday afternoon with the usual attendance. Committee for Inspection dinner: Amy Marston, Nellie Holt and Eva Hayford.

Lon Wright and family of North Newry, called at C. F. Saunders', Sunday.

## Another View

"I visit my friends occasionally," remarked the book lover, "merely for the purpose of looking over my library."

## EAST WATERFORD

Warner Kendall was in Bethel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gammon were Sunday callers at Mrs. Izzie Bean's.

Nellie Richards has finished work at Roland Littlefield's.

Will McKay, George Stevens and Roland Littlefield picked apples for Mrs. Frances Grover last week.

George Gray and Leon Bean were in Bridgton Monday.

Henry Rolfe, Omar Morsey and Frank Mayo were in Portland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Plinkham, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McIntire, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton McIntire and two children, Mary and Myron, Fred Johnson and brother went to Poland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hunt and family have moved to their home in Norway.

George York is working for George Stevens.

Mrs. Mona Littlefield has returned from caring for Mrs. August Tomlinson and young son, Alfred Almo, born October 4.

## Its Significance

The gold fringe on the American flag denotes that it is regimental colors.

## SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell was in North Waterford on business Friday.

Misses Emma and Susie Flint and Preston Flint recently spent the afternoon at James Kimball's.

Mrs. Cecil Kimball went to Norway Monday to have her tonsils removed.

Dr. Nelson was the surgeon.

Hugh Little was in Bethel on business Monday.

Donald Brown was home over the week end.

Ivan Kimball is trapping.

A large crowd attended the Circle and Oyster Supper at Hunt's Corner last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kimball were in Locke's Mills Sunday.

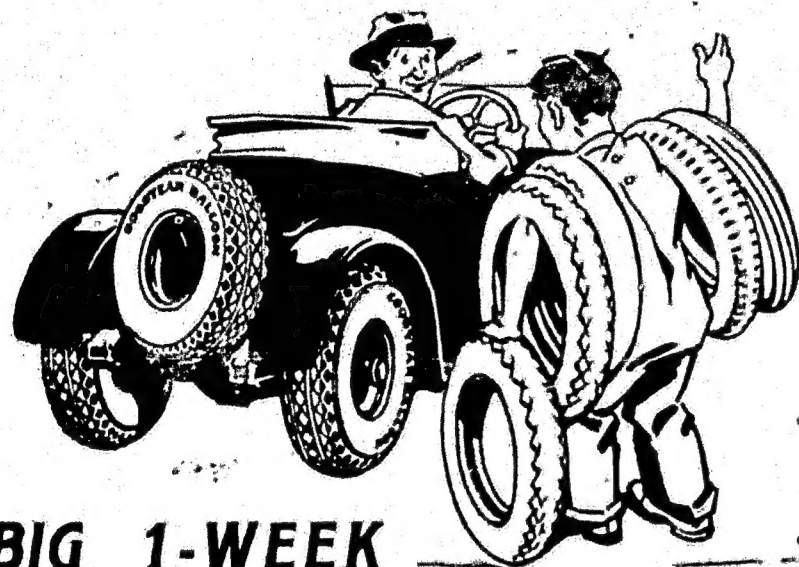
E. K. Shedd has sold his apples to a man from Berlin, N. H.

## Cosmopolitan Antioch

The ancient city of Antioch, which is represented by the city of Antioch, is about 810 miles north of Jerusalem. The present population is about 23,000, of which about 4,000 are Christians. The Antiochians have been from the earliest a cosmopolitan people, consisting of Jews, Syrians, Greeks and Romans.

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### BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fickett and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fickett and son from Rumford were Sunday guests of Mrs. Margaret Hanson and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown have returned from Milford, Mass. Miss Cora Barker of Milford accompanied them home and will spend a few weeks here.

Arthur Bean, who has had employment with his uncle, H. J. Bean, for the summer, has accepted a position in Felt's Garage, Springfield, Vt. and left for his new duties Tuesday.

Monday night, Oct. 23, the annual session of the work of the Pythian Sisters was held in the Grange Hall with Mrs. Amelia Schaub of Rumford in charge. After the work refreshments were served.

To A. Sumner has moved into the place on Railroad street which he recently purchased of Arthur Dudley, and Mr. Dudley has bought the house on Elm street which he sold to Rose Knapp last spring.

The State Farm Annual Conference of the females of the Way will be held here Saturday, in the Congregational Church. The meeting opens at 10:30. Dinner will be served at noon and the business and social program will follow. All comrades are urged to be present.

### NORTHWEST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Wilson spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Wilson and family.

Mrs. H. A. Shillings spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Shillings who is at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Helen Wilson of Auburn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

There will be an entertainment at the school house Friday night, Oct. 26. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Walbridge, Lezer and Mrs. Walbridge with their family and family.

Miss Walbridge had a dozen White Leghorn chickens from her home. Mrs. Walbridge has a dozen from a recent egg production strain.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation to the many friends who have been so kind to send us cards and letters for the recovery of our son, L. A. Edwards, for the role of comfort in our bereavement.

Thomas W. Vachon,  
Eugene M. Vachon,  
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Mrs. Edna Vachon,  
Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Robinson.

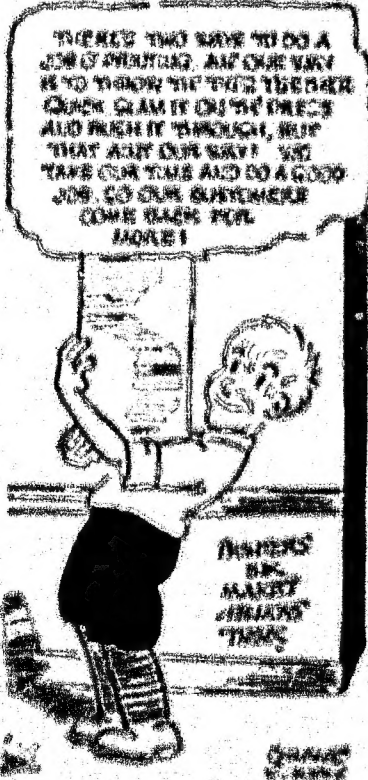
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### MICKIE SAYS—



## Nation's Public Schools Must Set Moral as Well as Educational Standards

By DR. MARTIN G. BRUMBAUGH, Ex-Governor of Pennsylvania.

The hope of tomorrow lies in the public schools. What's needed is not that the schools should teach arithmetic—but teach being honest. Not that the schools should teach to parse—but to behave.

The American people went into a jazz spree after the war. We bought things whether or not we had money to pay for them. We became the most extravagant people the world has ever known.

But when men become extravagant and wasteful their morals decay. When Sweden gave physical examination to its young men of military age last May, only 8 per cent were rejected. In the United States, at the beginning of the World War, 27 per cent were rejected—and with a much lower physical requirement. The explanation is that for a generation the Swedish youth has been given careful physical instruction in the schools.

Any child who buys an education at the cost of health pays a price too high either for the individual or the state. We haven't yet seriously approached that problem.

What are we doing to solve our Americanism problem? All immigrants who don't learn English in five years should be sent back.

Our churches are losing membership—not on their rolls, but in their pews. The home has failed to take up its share of the moral problem. It's not a boy-and-girl problem we face, but a mother-and-father problem. And now in the schools you've got to set the moral as well as the educational standards. America is suffering for need of great spiritual leadership.

### Improved Uniform International

## Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. P. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean  
Meador Bible Institute of Chicago)  
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### Lesson for November 4

#### WORLD'S TEMPERANCE SUNDAY

LESSON TEXT—Romans 13:1-4.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Love worketh on all to his neighbor, therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Obedience to Law.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Reasons for Prohibition.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Standing for Law Enforcement.

1. The Christian's Obligation to the State (vv. 1-2).

The believer in Christ is a citizen as well as a Christian. Intelligent Christians will be loyal to the state as well as to the church. Failure to recognize this has brought Christianity into disrepute in many quarters.

1. Obedience to rulers (vv. 1-2).

This obligation is upon all Christians. The reason is that civil government is ordained of God and rulers are His representatives. To refuse obedience to civil authority is to reject God. This does not mean that a Christian do the least of the state should do that which is inherently wrong. Submission to rightly constituted authority is the law of the believer's life, not only because God is the source of civil authority, but because it was ordained for beneficent ends.

2. The spirit in which the Christian renders obedience to rulers (v. 5).

He should regard it as his obligation, not merely because it serves a good purpose, but because it is morally right. It is a conscientious obligation to obey lawful rulers.

3. Method of expressing this obedience (vv. 6, 7).

(1) In the payment of personal and property taxes.

The citizens who enjoy the benefits of government are morally bound to support it.

(2) Payment of duty upon merchandise.

The business exchange between nations must be regulated. For each regulation expense is incurred, for which benefit the citizen should pay.

(3) Veneration of magistrates (v. 7).

Those who have the fear of God in their hearts will venerate their rulers. God's representatives.

(4) Honor to whom honor.

This means that civil officers should be honored because of their service.

ii. The Christian's Obligation to His Fellow Citizens (vv. 8-10).

This is summed up in the word "love." This obligation is perpetual.

The only debt which is right to one is that of love. The discharge of this obligation forbids:

(1) Defrauding in matters of property (v. 8).

(2) It forbids going into debt with no certainty of being able to meet one's obligation.

(3) It forbids defrauding in matters of moral purity (v. 9). Where the life is under the power of love, adultery cannot be committed.

(4) It forbids murder.

(5) It forbids coveting.

(6) It forbids the working of any ill to one's neighbor.

iii. The Supreme Motive Governing the Life of the Christian (vv. 11-13).

The attitude of the Christian is that of eager expectancy. There is no time for slumber or indifference. The time of salvation is drawing near. The salvation here mentioned is not that which we obtain by justification and sanctification, but is that which we get when our redemption is completed by glorification at the second coming of Christ. Redemption is therefore:

1. Justification through faith in the blood of Jesus.

2. Sanctification through the abiding work of the Holy Spirit.

3. Glorification, when the process of

### Perkins Valley, Woodstock

Mrs. Walter Littlefield spent the day Tuesday with Eda Wilson. They visited school in the afternoon and Eda returned home with her for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hendrickson and daughter, Mary, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Perham of Bryant's Pond, motored to Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Marjorie and Kenneth Benson are moving some goods to their camp in Wayne where they have bought a wood lot and will soon begin operations.

Mrs. Alma Becker is with her daughter, Mrs. Everett Wilson for a while. Her health is very poor.

Carl Cash had a birthday party Sunday afternoon in honor of his eighth birthday. Those present were: Earl Samson, Norman Perham, Leon and Vernon Poland, Bernard Silver, Miles and Harold Knox, Merle Wilson, Myrtle and Herbert Allen. Candy and presents were served as a treat. He received many nice presents.

Mrs. J. T. Desaut and Jerry and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spalding and children of Auburn were Sunday guests of Margaret Palsky.

Miss Joseph Capman of Lewiston left services in the Seventh Day Adventist Church Sunday. There were visitors from Hallowell and Auburn.

New street lighting fixtures like that on the corner of Main and Broad streets are to be installed on Main street. The lamps in these are much more powerful than those in use now, and their lamps are expected to light the street better than it is at present.

Redemption should be realized at Christ's second coming.

The reason for this attitude of expectancy are that the night of Christ's return is far spent and the day of the promise appearing is at hand. The proper conduct in view of this is:

1. To put off the works of darkness (vv. 12), which are: revelling, drunkenness, chambering, wantonness, strife and jealousy. The child of light should not walk in drunken carousals, but practice sober and clean living, neither engage in strife, nor to under the spell of jealousy.

2. Put on the armor of light (v. 12).

The figure here is of the Roman soldier who arose from sleep and put on his armor robes and put on his shining armor.

3. Put on the Lord Jesus Christ (v. 14).

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The East Bethel Telephone Company have started in work stringing the new wire.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Hastings are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, Virginia Lee.

B. W. Kimball spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. John Howe, and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swan and family are entertaining company from Rhode Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Bickford of Bowdoinham were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hastings spent Sunday at Mrs. Hastings' home in Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn of Bethel were Sunday callers at Mrs. Sanborn's mother's, Mrs. Mary Kimball's.

### SECOND EXAMINATION FOR PROHIBITION AGENTS

Shortage of Eligibles in Many Sections

The United States Civil Service Commission today announced the second examination for agents under the Bureau of Prohibition.

The examinations held last year failed to furnish a sufficient number of eligibles for many of the prohibition districts. The new examination will be held throughout the country to supply the shortage of eligibles and to provide a register from which vacancies occurring later may be filled.

Applications for the examination will be received by the Civil Service Commission until Nov. 20.

The entrance salaries for agents range from \$2,300 to \$2,900 a year. As the Bureau of Prohibition states that it will be its policy to fill the positions of investigator and inspector by promotion, persons desiring appointment to these positions should enter the agent examination.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-third but not their fifty-seventh birthday on the date of the examination. These age limits do not apply to persons entitled to preference because of military or naval service. The Bureau of Prohibition states that men are desired for the positions.

The examination will consist of mental tests, practical reports based on the duties of the position, and a rating on training, experience, and fitness. Those who do not meet the minimum requirements will not be admitted to the written test. Those who qualify in the written part of the examination will be called for a personal interview and will be subject to further investigation of their fitness. The finger prints of all applicants who are investigated will be taken and will be used to check the accuracy of the applicant's statements as to arrest, indictment, or conviction for crime or misdemeanor.

Full information may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. or from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board at the post office or courthouse in any city.

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Mrs. Lewis Tirrell and children of Gorham, N. H., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Homer Farnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and children were in Portland Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Austin, Miss Yvonne Brown and Gerald Davis were week end guests of relatives and friends in Freeport.

Mrs. Walter Davis and daughter, Lois, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Davis.

Eugene Cole is gaining from his recent illness.

Miss Bertha Tyler is spending a few days at her home here after her summer's work at Andover.

The Knights of Pythias held their convention at the Grange Hall Tuesday evening with a large attendance. Supper was furnished by Evergreen Temple.

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### Watch this Space for Dates

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Finest, can 20c 6 cans \$1.17

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Standard, can 10c 6 cans 58c

BEANS

Richmond, Cut Wax, can 17c 6 cans 99c

Richmond, Cut Refugee, can 18c 6 cans 93c

Finest, can 23c 6 cans \$1.35

Standard, Cut Refugee, can 11c 6 cans 63c

CORN

Finest, Golden Bantam, No. 2 can 18c 6 cans 93c

Finest, White Maine, No. 2 can 14c 6 cans 81c

Richmond, White Maine, can



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Rumford Baking Powder, 1 lb. can 29c  
Ivory Soap Flakes, Lge. pkg. 19c  
Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs 25c  
Shrimp, 1 lb. 17c  
Rice, 1 lb. pkg. 9c  
Dunham's Coconut, 1 lb. 13c  
Cigarettes, Ctn. \$1.19  
Chocolates, Just arrived, 1 lb. 20c  
Concord and Tokay Grapes  
Native Pork

Morse Grocery

## EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson have moved into their new home near Lake Keowaydin. This place was formerly owned by Mrs. Ada Hill.

Miss Elizabeth Dudley of Farmington, N. H., was a week end guest in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McAllister have moved into the Maclean house for the winter.

A circle supper was served at the vestry Thursday evening, followed by the motion picture, "Evangeline."

Mrs. Georgia McAllister, who is working at South Paris was at her home here last Sunday.

Merton McAllister, who has had employment in Dixfield, returned home Saturday.

Miss Grace Newton, teacher in the primary room, visited the family of John D. Grover at West Stoneham the past week end.

The members of the Keowaydin Club have been invited by the young people of North Waterford to a Halloween Frolic at the North Waterford vestry Friday evening, Oct. 26.

Don't think too seriously of being amused; take life seriously.

# County News

## WEST PARIS

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Dunham entertained at dinner on Sunday, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson are receiving congratulations on their recent marriage. Mrs. Jackson was Mrs. Mabel Bacon. They are living in their new home on High Street which Mr. Jackson recently purchased of Lauri Immonen.

Arnold Eames of North Berwick spent the week end with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin of Portland are enjoying two weeks vacation with Mr. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haines and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haines and son motored around the White Mountains on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Salama of Norwood, Mass., visited friends in town last week. Mrs. Salama was Miss Anna Korhonen before marriage, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Korhonen, former proprietor of the Finnish store here. Last year she attended West Paris High School and boarded in the home of W. L. Luman. She has the best wishes of her many friends in her new life.

Walter Barker is very poorly. The Friendly Class will hold a Halloween party at Good Will Hall Thursday afternoon, Oct. 25. A Halloween mystery lunch will be served, and games and stunts will be given.

Mrs. Clara Bidlon was given a very pleasant birthday party on Monday, Oct. 15, when a dinner was given in her honor by relatives. A beautifully decorated cake with the inscription "Mother" was presented by the daughters. Numerous gifts, cards, letters and tokens added to the happiness of the occasion. Many callers came during the day.

The annual harvest dinner, supper, and entertainment are guests of the United Parish will be held Tuesday, Oct. 30, at Centennial Hall.

Master Howard Smith had the misfortune to fall on the stone steps at Cummings block and break his arm. Dr. Kay reduced the fracture, and he will probably attend school next week.

The funeral services of Mrs. Kusti Korhonen were held from the Finnish church last week. Mrs. Korhonen is survived by a husband and four small children.

Mrs. Dora Jackson is spending a vacation with her sister, Mrs. L. H. Penley, Portland.

Mrs. Clara Bidlon spent two or three days at South Paris last week with her sister, Mrs. Helene Bubier.

L. J. Mann is on a hunting trip and stopping with friends at their camp at Upton.

Mrs. Esther Tuell has moved her home on Main Street and will spend the winter with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Becker, Portland.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Miss Della and Miss Lane, Mrs. Clara Bidlon, Mrs. Winnie Bidlon and Mrs. H. B. Tuell attended the eighty-fourth annual session of the Oxford Universal Association at South Paris Thursday.

Mrs. Dwight L. Lohr entertained the Good Will Society Wednesday.

Rev. James W. Barr was at New Sharon several days, and preached at the funeral of a friend at Mercer while away. His little daughter, Minnie, who has been at New Sharon with relatives for the past three weeks, returned home with him.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard A. Mosley of Auburn were guests here Thursday night, and Friday were dinner guests of Mrs. Ida Montfort.

## High Street, West Paris

D. O. Hill has sold a pair of nice stoves.

The Porter school entertainment is postponed until Wednesday Oct. 31st. Anna Tammenen was hostess Sunday.

Jim Holden has been working for Dan Hill.

Chas. Stetson has begun work on his bungalow.

The apple crop over High Street is very small.

Ellas McKee has a lame arm, the result of an accident.

## MIDDLE INTERVALE

Ernest Back is passing hay in Berlin. Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Tibbets and Miss Frances P. Carter were week end guests of Miss Grace Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Back and family were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Addie Farwell of Bethel.

Charles A. Capen spent Tuesday with sister, Mrs. E. M. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hall and family spent Sunday at O. A. Back's.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward and family of Naples were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ward.

Miss Mary Stanley was in Portland Saturday.

John Coolidge is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Harold Furlong and party of Portland were callers at C. A. Capen's Monday.

Mrs. Basile Soule of Portland spent the week end with her father, Oskian Stanley.

Mrs. Angie Parlin of Skillington spent last week with Mrs. O. A. Back.

## SOUTH WATERFORD

The Haynes Bros. elder mill is in readiness for the season's work.

The regular Grange meeting was held on Saturday evening with a large attendance. Mrs. Pearl Bradbury headed the program committee and it was reported as unusually good. Following the meeting a box supper was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caswell of Malden-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Alice Wolfe the past week.

Oren and Murry Brown, the electricians of East Otisfield, are in town working on the Waterford Light and Power System. They are stopping with Mrs. A. A. Monroe.

Those attending the school of religious education held in the North Waterford church vestry are Mrs. Ben Collins, Mrs. A. A. Monroe, Mrs. Ida A. Holden, Mrs. M. E. Watson, and Ethel M. Monroe.

Friday night a dancing party was held in the Grange Hall with a large crowd present. Andrews Orchestra of Biddeford furnished the music. Rolls and hot dogs were served at intermission. Another dance is advertised for Friday, October 26th.

W. C. Goodwin is cutting bushes on the roadside by the lake.

Raymond Moors of Auburn has erected a very attractive entrance to his cottage, "Wedgemere," on Bear Pond.

Mr. Jordan of Auburn is doing some grading about his cottage "Jestacamp," on Bear Pond.

Mr. McEdward of Strong has moved his family into the lower rent in the Haggard house. They arrived on Saturday. Mr. McEdward is to have charge of the butter making in the Waterford Creamery.

Mrs. A. A. Monroe and daughter, Ethel, spent the week end with their friend, Mrs. Virginia W. Hagar in Fryeburg.

Little Walter Hamlin, three years of age, youngest son of Albert Hamlin, fell into the mill pond near the flume above his Grandfather Hamlin's sawing mill on Saturday. The water is quite deep there and he sank. Stanley, his six year old brother, was near and in some way he managed to get Walter out.

Cha. Turbox spent the week end with her cousin, Mildred Haynes.

A large attendance at church Sunday morning. Mr. Bell conducted the services.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Moore of Westford, Mass., and Mrs. Moore's brother, John H. Moore, of Gunning Cove, N. S., arrived at Mr. Moore's mother's, Mrs. A. A. Monroe's, Sunday evening for a few days. They came through Farmington, Crawford and Pinkham Notches in the White Mountains on the trip here.

## SOUTH BETHEL

Harry Leachman of Auburn was in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morey and two children of West Paris called at Frank Brooks' Thursday afternoon.

Herbert Walker has been visiting his brother Walter Walker for a few days. Gerald Walker was at home from South Paris over the week end, where he is attending high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan York and three children were at North Waterford Saturday.

Alfred and Charlie Mason have gone to West Sumner where they will cut birch.

The 19th son of George Leonard, who is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leonard, has been ill with pneumonia, but is better at this writing.

Walter Young and Henry Hall were at their home here over the week end. They are cutting wood at Hanover.

Frank Brooks was at Bethel Monday. Mary Chase visited her daughter, Mrs. Willie Bennett, on the Howe Hill road recently.

Ernest Brooks and Mr. Bacon of Gorham, N. H., called on Mr. Brooks' brother, Frank Brooks, and family Thursday afternoon.

Ernest Mason and sons, Alfred and Charles, were at Rumford one day last week.

## SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Pearl Farrington had the misfortune to get his hand caught in a joint planer Monday morning, while working in L. W. Andrews and Son's mill. He was rushed to the hospital in Lewiston where it was found necessary to amputate the small finger. They are in hopes to save his hand though it is badly mangled.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Poland and brother Wesley of Hartford went to Portland Monday to be with their brother Walter, who underwent a critical operation for tuberculosis of the kidney.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Walter Appleby Wednesday and had two pots for Mrs. Abner Benson.

Harry Keough and wife of Auburn were callers at Villa Silver's Sunday.

Ellis Davis and Dannie Bryant spent Sunday at Archie Dunn's in Duckfield.

Mrs. Charles Wilson of Rumford is caring for Clara Fell.

Mrs. Edith Jackson and daughter Clara and Mrs. Alton Coffin were callers at Mrs. Albert Fell's Saturday. Sunday guests there were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hemingway and son of Norway, Mrs. Emma Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Gaydon Davis, also Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rhodes and Mr. Hall of Saco.

## MASON

Mrs. John Silver and son, Roy, from Gorham, Maine, were at Eli Grover's Sunday.

Mrs. Alton Merrill and daughter, Daphne, from Oxford, are guests at Herman Merrill's.

Myron Merrill and Herman Merrill are cutting wood for Brainerd Burbank at the steam mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Merrill and baby and Miss Verna Grover were guests of relatives at West Sumner one day recently.

A. J. Heath and Dr. Simonds of Norway are in town hunting and trapping.

Frank Pernia from Berlin, N. H., also Frank Queer from Stratford, Vt., have been buying apples in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Merrill and children, Mrs. Ernest Merrill and Mrs. Lloyd Lutton of Bethel were in Rumford one day last week.

Gard Herick of Bethel was in town one day recently.

Mrs. Eli Grover and two children called on her aunt, Mrs. Alice Holman at Bethel one afternoon recently.

Mrs. E. C. Mills visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Mason at West Bethel, Saturday night and Sunday.

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## 69th ANNIVERSARY SALE 1859 - 1928

SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 pkgs. 19c  
Quaker Oats, 1 lb. can 29c  
Diamond Crystal Shaker Salt, 2 pkgs. 17c  
P & G Soap, 10 cakes 37c  
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans 19c  
Rinso, 1 lb. 23c  
CRISCO, 1 lb. 23c  
Prudence Corned Beef Hash, can 25c  
Lux, 1 lb. pkg. 22c  
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## ALONG LIFE'S TRAIL

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

## CATS AND CANARIES

It takes a good deal to give a young person a thrill today. They are so fed up daily upon amusement that it is only the unusual and the extreme thing which can give them a sensation of delight or interest. Once a rag doll or a bunch of a tree cut into the semblance of a horse would throw a child into an ecstasy of imagination and delight. Not so today. It requires a doll that can walk and speak French, or an electric train that lays down its own track as it rushes about the nursery to get even an ordinary child out of a young child. The high school boy might even have been in the seventh heaven if he could own a bicycle, but he yawns today unless he can have a snappy high-powered motor car which will speed along at seventy-five miles an hour. It puzzles parents now to devise some new amusements for their children or to find something new and startling to give them.

Far be it from me to long for the "good old days." There were many things in our youth which were crude and inadequate, but our amusements were simple and rare enough to be appreciated when they came. There were the Fourth of July celebration in the summer, and the annual visit of the circus in the fall, and these two events were looked forward to with the keenest interest, and prepared for as well. The old buggy was washed up, and the harness greased, and the horses groomed to a high polish. We saved that little money we could get our hands on, made a date with the prettiest girl available and set out to have a glorious time. The anticipation and the two events in retrospect served us for six months at least.

In winter there were occasional parties, or dances at a neighbor's house. I noticed in the account of a recent social affair held in a nearby city that the favors presented to each guest at the dinner which followed the dance were Persian cats and canaries.

Our young people must be thrilled and amused at any cost!  
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## SOCIETY DIRECTORY

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

**BETHEL LODGE, No. 97, F. & A. M.,** meets in Masonic Hall the second Thursday evening of every month. John Harrington, W. M.; Fred B. Merrill, Secretary.

**PURITY CHAPTER, No. 102, O. E. B.,** meets in Masonic Hall the first Wednesday evening of each month. Mrs. Gertrude Boyker, W. M.; Mrs. Emily Verba, Secretary.

**MT. ABRAHAM LODGE, No. 31, I. O. O. F.,** meets in their hall every Friday evening. C. O. Demeritt, N. O.; Arthur Hatch, Secretary.

**SUNSHINE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 64, I. O. O. F.,** meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the first and third Monday evenings of each month. Beatrice V. Brown, N. O.; Mrs. Gertrude Boyker, Secretary.

**SUNSHINE LODGE, No. 22, K. of P.,** meets in Orange Hall the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Leroy Andrews, C. C.; Kenneth Malasia, K. of R. and H.

**NACOMI TEMPLE, No. 83, EYTHIAN SISTERS,** meets the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at Orange Hall. Mrs. Jeanne Mitchell, M. E. C.; Mrs. Constance Wheeler, M. of M. C.

**KNOWNS POST, No. 81, O. A. R.,** meets at Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. A. M. Bean, Commander; J. A. Brown, Adjutant; J. N. Bartlett, Q. M.

**BROWN, W. B. C., No. 35,** meets in Odd Fellows' Hall the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Mrs. Lettie Jones, President; Mrs. Lora Burdock, Secretary.

**GERTRUDE & MURPHY POST, No. 81, AMERICAN LEGION,** meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month in the room. J. M. Harrington, Commander; Charles T. Adkins, Adjutant.

**COL. C. S. EDWARDS CAMP, NO. 75, M. of V.,** meets first Thursday of each month in the Legion room. L. A. Brown, Commander; Carl L. Brown, Secretary.

**BETHEL GRANGE, No. 54, P. of H.,** meets in their hall the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. L. W. Morris, M.; Rex M. Hastings, Secretary.

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## Sports of Nations



Persian Wrestlers.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

Each recurrence of the Olympic games shows a growth of the play spirit among the nations and a greater recognition of the value of games as a training for life. Games played a big part in maintaining the morale of civilians and soldiers during the World War; and from this experience has come a renewed realization that the games that win wars are just as useful for the vigorous, bloodless battles of peace.

Back home, before the war, America had contributed two new things to sports: basketball and the city playground. It has been noted that sports of a nation afford an almost invariable barometer of its progress in civilization. Baseball is one of the most complicated and highly organized pastimes known to any people. It is a veritable instrument of the most delicate precision in the world of sports. A South Sea Islander no more could play it than he could operate a linotype machine or deftly handle the paper money in a bank teller's cage.

Yet the instincts baseball satisfies—the zest of racing to a goal ahead of the ball, the deep satisfaction of diverting a swiftly moving object to serve his own ends, the mere impact of the speeding sphere against the instrument he controls, the feeling of the spheroid as it flies afield, the suspense of like men as they await the batter's fate—each and all find their counterpart in play as old as animals that walk on two feet and have enough gray matter atop their spinal columns to control nature's laws for their human purposes.

The foot-race ever was the most popular of the 24 Olympian events. The Romans battled bulls with the ferocity of the gladiators, and the Chinese Islanders wrap coconut shells with coal so they will rebound to a blow from the open palm; Homer's princess of Phoenicia is represented in the Odyssey as jumping to catch a ball tossed by her maid of honor; and the Chinese had a game in which a suspended ball was kept hurrying to and fro by blows from the players.

America has been among the leaders in her attention to children's playgrounds. In fact, playgrounds for children may be considered the distinctive contribution of this country to the world's play.

## Playgrounds in Cities.

To gather statistics of play is like counting the sands of the sea or the children of the nation; but it is significant of the awakening interest in play to note that even by 1915 more than 400 cities maintained nearly 4,000 playgrounds, and the children who found relaxation on 310 of these playgrounds from which reports were had on any one day would have numbered scarcely less than the total population of Boston. Each year since has seen an increase both in the cities having playgrounds and in the total of play spaces.

Moreover, this is but a fraction of the opportunities for normal play, for it does not take into account the thousands of boys' clubs and provision for their special clientele which churches, parishes, private schools and organizations like the Y. M. C. A., Boy Scouts, Knights of Columbus and numerous others make. One of the most characteristic adjuncts of the American school, city, town or country district is its playground; and for one city where the city hall "keep the boys" signs have not been replaced by "no smoking" signs, and special provisions for games.

For one who would study the games of the world, the average playground is a matter of little consequence. To the student of anthropology, fossils and weapons of one not frequently become the playthings of the next; and centuries later, when adults have devoted the sport, children adopt it.

Games of the world mark an important development in the life of primitive races. The Indian who stalked deer, the Semite who tracked and hunted the wild birds, the Eskimo who hunted the reindeer, and the hunter who stalked the deer were not out for a summer's sport.

## Ingenuity in Hunting.

Methods of hunting were exceedingly primitive at first, but some tribes early developed an amazing technique. The Eskimo would wrap himself in skins and lie by the hour alongside an igloo to harpoon a seal. The Tarahumara of Mexico felled trees by the

score to get squirrels occasionally caught as the trees fell.

More ingenious were the Tasmanians, who would clear a forest oasis by burning, wait for the grasses to grow and attract animals, and they would set fire to a barricade of brush they arranged in the meantime, with exits near which they would take their stand and spear the frightened animals as they sought to escape.

Some African tribesmen camouflaged their spear-heads with bird feathers. Fugitives attained a low visibility by doubling themselves with mud and clay. Florida Indians donned skin and horns of deer to enable them to approach their prey.

Ways of setting traps for animals and of poisoning spears were known thousands of years before Christ. The sportsmanlike Greeks shrank from use of poisoned darts as warfare for the same reason that they regarded archery as a savage practice in combat. Even in war they declined to use instruments which would give one side an unfair advantage.

It was long before the horse, ridden so skillfully by the Arab and the Moor, became either a beast of burden or man's plaything at the races. And whatever the civilized opinion of bull-fighting, that sport is a far cry from either the combat to death of human beings or the last-sport diversion of watching two animals tear each other to pieces. The Spaniard will defend his national pastime by citing that the matador runs a far greater risk than the hunter of the biggest game, with the advantage of his firearms.

Horse-racing is another sport that dates back to remote antiquity. Probably the French were the pioneers in turf sport as practiced in modern times, but it was natural that the English, with their love of outdoors and of animals, should have cultivated the horse for the race as they did the dog for the hunt. James I seems to have been the first royal patron of racing.

## Boxing and Wrestling.

Boxing and wrestling are the more humanized forms of individual combat of strength. Naturally the program of the original Olympic games, veritable encyclopedias of ancient sports, included boxing and wrestling. Moreover the Greeks had one game, the pancrace, which combined both.

Wrestling, at least, is much older than Greece, as indicated by the bones pictured on tombs along the Nile. In Greece, boxing fell into disfavor in Sparta for an unusual reason. The Greeks had developed sportsmanlike rules for the game, eliminating kicking, biting and ear-pulling, and the last closed when one boxer admitted defeat. Icyarus told it improper for any Spartan to acknowledge defeat, even in a game!

The Japanese have been devoted to both sports for ages. Sekuro, Hackenbush of Nippon, in the days when Japan was foretelling the coming of Christ, was defeated, and from wrestling Japan evolved. Boxing today is extremely popular throughout the empire.

Jack Broughton, English "father of boxing" as it is practiced today, is believed to have invented the modern boxing gloves and the division into rounds, but he seemed to train in order to meet a butcher named Black. He called his name with a blow like a cleaver, and put the idea of British sports in the exemplar class.

A writer of the thirteenth century called football a "devilish pastime" and charged it with inciting "rage and enmity among the people."

Excited by the time of Charles II, football had become fairly established at Cambridge. It was, ever since, a high school in Ireland. There, when all other sports were prohibited, the students were permitted to play football. The game was played with a ball made of sheep's skin, and the players wore no shoes. An expedition which set out long ago around a forest in the American sporting world, was attacked by a player, who shook out the shavings with which the balls of those days were stuffed and carried it under his shirt to the goal.

Abandoned as a general pastime because of its roughness, it was retained in college units, with the past half century, it sprang into renewed popularity to greatly modified form. The British carried football into Jerusalem when they recovered the sacred city. Misadventures have taught it to be beaten there.

## WEST BETHEL

Helen Horta is boarding at W. H. Mason's.

Mrs. Elden Mills of Mason spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Mason.

Mrs. Lucy Cushing, who has been visiting relatives in Portland, has returned home.

Mrs. Sarah Allen of Auburn has been visiting Mrs. Emma Mills and other friends here.

Ed. Bell of South Paris has been visiting at Estella Goodridge's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiltz and child of Wilton were guests at D. W. Cushing's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Libby and children and Mrs. Anna Williams and son of Gorham, N. H., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Melnia Sunday.

Alta Brooks spent the week end in Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bartlett and son of Bethel and Mr. and Mrs. John May and children of West Milan were guests at Charles Melnia's Sunday.

Dorothy Grover of Lewiston spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Valentine of Bethel, William Valentine of Philadelphia, and Mrs. C. E. Worth and son of Olin of Exeter were Sunday guests at Adrian L. Grover's.

Mrs. Paul Head attended the reunion of the Andover Campfire at Andover last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Browne of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bell of South Paris were here Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Vashaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Millett and Earl Millett of Watford were in town Sunday.

Mabel Scammon of Haverhill, Mass., was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Anderson of Norway were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Westleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Saunders and Mrs. Minnie Saunders of Watford were in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Westleigh of Norway visited at E. B. Mason's Sunday.

## GROVER HILL

Elmer E. Lyon from Auburn was in town with friends here last week.

We learn that J. Burton Abbott has purchased his father's farm which he will soon occupy with his family. Mr. Abbott has been living on the W. H. Hutchinson farm since early spring.

Mrs. M. A. Jordan and daughter, the Misses Marion and Eleanor Jordan from Mechanic Falls, were calling on friends in this place Sunday.

E. C. Jackson has been the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stearns and family.

Ernest Mundt is having a short vacation at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mundt, before going South for the winter.

Miss Odessa Long from Gorham, Me., was a recent caller at the home of Mrs. Fred Mundt.

Alfred J. Peaslee was at West Bethel Friday to attend the interment of his brother-in-law, G. F. Russell who died in Haverhill, Mass., last week.

George Bennett was calling on friends in this place one day recently. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barnard have returned to Bellevue Falls, Vt., after a few weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler.

Ara May and Miss Gwendolyn Stearns of Bridgewater, Mass., were recent week end guests at the home of Miss Stearns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stearns.

Gerald Davis and Miss Velma Brown, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Leland Austin from Bryant Pond, were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stearns.

'Conceded men think nothing can be done without them.

## NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. F. I. French were in Errol, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tuell and family, of Woodstock, were in town last Sunday.

Marion Leonard was at home from Rumford over the week end.

W. N. Powers is working on the road at North Newry.

Mrs. G. H. Learned called at W. N. Powers' Sunday.

D. O. Smith is on the sick list this week.

Little boats should keep near shore; larger boats can venture more.

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## WHAT IT COSTS TO GOVERN US

By PROF. M. H. HUNTER  
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## The Federal Income Tax

THE emergency of the Civil war was responsible for the first attempt by the federal government to tax incomes. The Supreme court upheld the tax as not being a direct levy under the meaning of the Constitution. The tax was given up in 1872.

The Gorman-Wilson tariff act of 1894 contemplated a considerable falling off in revenues. To compensate for this, a part of the act provided for a tax on personal incomes. The Supreme court, however, took the position that such a tax was a direct tax and therefore unconstitutional.

Continued agitation resulted in the Sixteenth amendment which gave congress power to levy a tax upon incomes from whatever source derived. The income tax of 1913 provided for a tax of 1 per cent upon the entire taxable income, with additional progressive rates ranging from 1 per cent to 6 per cent. The exemptions were \$3,000 and \$4,000.

During the war the tax rates on incomes were greatly increased. These reached their maximum under the revenue law of 1918. Under this law the normal rate was 6 per cent on the first \$4,000 taxable income and 12 per cent on the remainder. The surtax ranged from 1 per cent to 63 per cent, the latter applying to the amount of taxable income in excess of \$1,000,000. This made any income in excess of \$1,000,000 subject to a federal tax of 77 per cent.

After the war there was agitation for reduction in income tax rates. These came in the revenue laws of 1921, 1924 and 1926. Progressive rates are found both in the normal tax and in the surtax. The normal tax rates are 1 1/2 per cent on the first \$4,000, 3 per cent on the next \$4,000, and 5 per cent on the remainder.

Under the 1926 law the surtax rates range from 1 per cent to 20 per cent. The 1 per cent begins to apply when the taxable income reaches \$10,000. The rate of 20 per cent applies to all taxable income in excess of \$100,000. Under this law, also, all taxable incomes of \$5,000 or less are considered earned, while as much as \$20,000 may come in this class. Earned incomes are allowed a rebate of one-fourth of the tax. The exemptions are \$1,500 and \$3,000.

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## FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER

Tea and coffee should be kept in flavor.

Sunshine will keep white woodwork a good color. Too much gloom tends to make it yellow.

The sharpening stone should be washed after each using if good service is expected.

Sometimes cloudy windows only need wiping with a clean cloth to make them quite clean again.

If your sweet grass basket is beginning to lose its fragrance, dip it in boiling water. When it dries it will be sweet-smelling once more.

## HAPPY THOUGHTS

Women make all the trouble in life, but it's the women who make life worth the trouble.

The honeymoon is that part of a girl's life that comes between the lipstick and the broomstick.

Man was made before woman to give him a chance to think of a good reply to her first question.

Life is full of compensations, and the man who cannot reckon on his friends can always count on his sins.

When you speak to other people for their good, it is influence; when other people speak to you for your good, it's interference.

## Scheme Didn't Work

An English druggist who attempted to sell medicated cigarettes as a cure for colds, nasal catarrh, asthma and bronchitis discovered that it could not be done. Cigarettes that contained eucalyptus, thyme, rose petals and lavender in addition to tobacco, are banned by the law against "adulterated tobacco." The court ruled, and freed the offender.

## PEPPY POINTS

It's a rare treat when a miser invites you to join him.

Allimony is the capital prize in the matrimonial lottery.

Friends' good luck worries some people more than anything else.

People who don't spend their money as we think they should are miserly.

The only way some married people avoid quarrelling is by refusing to make up.

Man and pins are similar, because neither is of much use after losing its head.

## LOFTY THOUGHTS

The only way to have a friend is to be one.—Emerson.

Man seeketh in society comfort, use and protection.—Bacon.

There is no substitute for thoroughgoing, ardent and sincere earnestness.—Dickens.

Levity is often less foolish and gravity less wise than each of them appears.—Colton.

Good breeding shows itself most where, to an ordinary eye, it appears the least.—Addison.

The most certain sign of being born with great qualities is to be born without envy.—La Rochefoucauld.

The law of simplicity and plainness holds good in all fine art, for it is compatible with what is most sublime.—Schopenhauer.

The essential difference between painting and dabbling is that a painter lays on not a grain more color than is needed.—Ruskin.

When a true genius appears in the world you may know him by this sign, that the dunces are all in confederacy against him.—Swift.

We should never speak publicly at least, of our own faults, nor of the others, unless we hope to effect some useful purpose of it.—Goethe.

Many men are angry with them that tell them of their faults, when they should be angry only with the faults that are told them.—Yenning.

He had such a gentle method of reproving their faults that they were not so much afraid as ashamed to repeat them.—Atterbury.

The reproof of a good man resembles fuller's earth; it not only removes the spots from our character, but it rubs off when it is dry.—Williamson.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Dun—the future tense of due.

There is always a mystery about how the people next door live.

All love messages of the prudent man are of the wireless variety.

Bashful lovers and kernels of corn usually turn white when they pop.

Many a man's empty pockets are due to his wife's fondness for change.

It isn't what your grandfather was, but what you are, that really counts.

Fish may be good brain food; when there is something for it to assimilate with.

Truly does a man always know less after marriage than he thinks he knows before.

If we listen to the troubles of other people it sometimes makes us better satisfied with our own.

It is only in accord with the eternal fitness of things that police telegraph wires should be made of copper.

It is universally believed that the average actress marries for publication only and not a guaranty of good faith.

## BY THE OFFICE OWL

This is an age of efficiency. Even the first day of April is now fool proof.

Blessings come disguised. Most of us get what we deserve without recognizing it.

You never can tell. Church going is merely the Sunday supplement of many a man's religion.

The Cynical Bachelor observes that it takes two to make a marriage, but one can make a mess of it.

One difference between good luck and bad luck is that good luck comes on gum shoes while bad luck hies a brass band.

Some of the people who buy their friends insist upon having them made to order, others are satisfied with the ready-made kind.

Blobs—"I size up your friend Slicker as a peanut politician." Slobbs—"Possibly, possibly; but I have never known him to shell out."

Muggins—"Dollie attributes his failure in life to the fact that he has never had a show." Buggins—"That's because he is always waiting for a free pass."

"We should all profit by our mistakes," admonished the good deacon. "Yes, even the clergyman does that when he accepts a wedding fee," chuckled the unregenerate backslider.

## WORDS OF WISE MEN

A lucky man is rarer than a white crow.—Juvenal.

He travels safest who travels lightest.—Prescott.

The judge is condemned when the guilty is acquitted.—Syrus.

There is more self-love than love in jealousy.—La Rochefoucauld.

An orator without judgment is a horse without a bridle.—Theophrastus.

Sorrow's crown of sorrow is remembering happier things.—Tennyson.

The mind begins to boggle at unnatural substances as things paradoxical and incomprehensible.—South.

There is no life of a man, faithfully recorded, but is a heroic poem of his sort, rhymed or unrhymed.—Carlyle.

The law is the last result of human wisdom acting upon human experience for the benefit of the public.—Johnson.

## TIMELY SAYINGS

American girls are terribly unfarm.—Anita Loos.

Facts are our scarcest raw material.—Owen D. Young.

No country can exist without religion.—Gen. Obregon of Mexico.

Thinking is the hardest work that human beings do.—Henry Ford.

## GEMS OF THOUGHT

Better a little chiding than a great deal of heartbreak.—Shakespeare.

Don't carry your wishbone where your backbone ought to be.—L. W. Beasley.

Education is a capital to the poor man, and an interest to the rich man.—Horace Mann.

Education must always be defined in terms of life, of growth, of progress.—John Grier Hibben.

Child him for faults, and do it reverently when you perceive his heart inclined to mirth.—Shakespeare.

I will chide no breather in the world but myself, against whom I know most faults.—Shakespeare.

Real education means teaching children to be clean, active, honest and useful.—John Ruskin.

The silent upbraiding of the eye is the very poetry of reproach; it speaks at once to the imagination.—Mrs. Hatfield.

## NORTH NEWRY

Miss Carrie Wight entertained at dinner Sunday at her home, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hanscom, Miss Katherine Hanscom, Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Edwards, Miss Betty Edwards and Miss Ella Litchfield.

F. W. Wight and family, Mrs. A. G. Ensey of Bethel and Miss Abbie Littlehale of Errol, N. H., are visiting relatives in Mass.

Mrs. Etta Bragdon, who was formerly Etta Russell of Newry, now of Haverhill, Mass., was an overnight guest at W. B. Wight's, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vall and L. E. Vall have returned from Aroostook County.

Nelson Weeks is working for Fred Kilgore.

Daniel Wight and Ruth Brink were at home over the week end.

L. E. Wight and family were calling on friends in Hanover and Bryant's Pond Sunday afternoon.

Ray Hanscom of Errol, N. H., was a guest of his brother here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Perren were in Sweden Sunday, calling on Mrs. Perren's sister, Mrs. Albert Smart.

Robert Hale of Portland, called on L. E. Wight, Sunday morning.

About 35 attended the Circle Supper at Mrs. L. E. Wight's Saturday night.

For the benefit of those who haven't heard what the proceeds were, from the entertainment and supper at the Hall, Newry Corner, will say that we received about \$55.00.

Oxford Potomac Grange As Tuesday, Nov. 6th is election day, the regular meeting which was to have been held with Bethel Grange will be postponed one week, making the date Tuesday, Nov. 13.

There is a best way of doing everything, if only to file a letter. Find that way and do no other.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman took a business and pleasure trip one day last week, going through Rumford, Dixfield, Peru, Jay, Lewiston, and Greene.

Everett Cole is busy training his pupils for the Hallowe'en entertainment to be given Nov. 2.

Elva Abbott and Maxine Fuller are helping his out on the musical part of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fuller were at Hanover and Rumford Point last Monday.

John Hemingway has his new blacksmith shop well under way.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemplach are living on the Walter Russ place on Billings Hill.

Marjorie Kimball took Maxine Fuller to Bethel Friday to have some dental work done.

Everett Cole will motor to Bangor to attend State Teachers' Convention.

## SUNDAY RIVER

(Deferred)

Miss Doris Walls and Master Reilly Reynolds spent the week end at Miss Wall's home at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster and children from New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boyce, from Keene, N. H., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Foster.

Ruth Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson, was operated on in a Boston Hospital, Friday, and is in a favorable condition.

Mrs. Robert Bean is ill with the prevailing cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster and family were dinner guests of Mrs. Harry Chase at Rumford Point, Sunday.

The crew has moved into the Curtis Mill for the winter's work.

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Collier's, The National Weekly	2.00	1.75
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Country Life	5.00	4.50
Current Events	75.	.75
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Elite Styles	3.50	3.50
Everyday Magazine	2.00	1.75
Everybody's Magazine	2.75	2.25
Every Child's Magazine	1.50	1.25
Every Girl's Magazine	1.00	.90
Farm and Fireside	.25	.15
Farmer's Wife	.35	.35
Farm Journal (3 yrs.)	.75	.65
Farm Life	.35	.35
Farm Mechanics	.50	.50
Fashionable Dress	3.00	2.50
Field and Stream	2.50	2.25
Film Fun	2.00	1.75
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Forbes Magazine	5.00	4.50
Foreign Affairs	5.00	4.75
Forest and Stream	2.50	2.00
Forum	4.00	3.50
Golden Book	3.00	3.00
Good Housekeeping	3.00	3.00
Harper's Bazar	4.00	4.00
Harper's Magazine	4.00	3.50
Heard's Dairyman	.35	.35
House and Garden	3.00	3.25
House Beautiful	3.00	2.75
Hunter-Trapper	2.00	2.00
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Hygiene, Health Magazine	6.00	5.00
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Journal of Education Boston	2.75	2.75
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Junior Home, Little Folks	2.50	2.50
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Literary Digest	4.00	4.00
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People's Home Journal	.50	.45
Photoplay Magazine	2.50	2.25
Physical Culture	2.50	2.50
Pictorial Review	1.00	1.00
Popular Mechanics	2.50	2.50
Popular Science Monthly	2.50	2.50
Primary Education-Popular Educator	2.00	1.85
Radio Broadcast	4.00	3.50
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Violinist	3.00	2.75
Vogue	6.00	5.00
Woman's Home Companion	1.00	1.00
Woman's Journal	2.50	2.25
Woman's World	.50	.50
World's Work	4.00	3.50
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## To Let

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## Miscellaneous

PIANO TUNING—H. L. White will be in Bethel early in November. Or write to P. J. Tyler or write 7 Western View St., Auburn, Me. 27

## GILEAD

Miss Hazel Kimball has completed her duties at the home of Mrs. John Richardson and left Thursday for Lynn, Mass., where she has a position.

Doris Wing and family have moved to Berlin, N. H.

Roscoe Cole is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Alice Wentworth of Wellsley Hills, Mass., was a recent guest of her son, E. B. Curtis, and family.

Mrs. Margaret Gallagher has completed her duties at the home of Mrs. George Leighton and gone to Lynn, Mass. Mrs. Alice Arsenault has taken her place.

George Belmont and family have moved to the Anderson Farm.

Orin Wilson, who underwent a serious operation at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin, N. H., last week, is making a good recovery.

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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

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10.28. Service of Worship, followed by a sermon on the theme, "The New Day of Faith."  
Can the church survive in the changing order? Ought it to? Is the "Old Time Religion" good enough for you? What do you mean by the old time religion?

Is science the foe or friend of the faith? If the science of geology and astronomy are a variance with the text of the bible which shall we believe? Can we believe both?

These and other questions of vital importance to this new day will be discussed.

Comrades of the Way will meet at seven o'clock.

On Saturday the State Semi-Annual Conference of the Comrades of the Way will be held in the Congregational Church.

The meeting will open at 10:30. All Comrades are urged to be present.

Dinner will be served at noon. Business and social program will follow.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Chapman Street  
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, Probation after death.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 P. M.

## METHODIST CHURCH

The Sunday School meets Sunday morning 9:45.

Preaching service 10:45. Sunday morning. "The King of Kings" will be the subject. But we are aware that nothing that pictures or sermon, or even the imagination can present, is adequate to portray the beauty, the majesty of that King who "loved us, and gave himself for us." Come prepared to give for the spread of his kingdom.

The Epworth League meets Sunday morning 9:45.

Regular evening service 7:30. Subject, "How Different People Art."

Class Meeting Tuesday evening 7:30.

## UPTON

Perry Jenkins, who is working for the U. S. Geological Survey under A. P. Fowler, is at home, as the work is now near Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Allen entertained their brother, Frank Allen and family of Upton, N. H., also her sister and family of East Bethel last Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Jenkins entertained her mother, Mrs. Emma York, and aunt, Mrs. Lucy Swain, of Andover Sunday.

Several R. of P. members attended lodge meeting at Bethel Saturday evening.

A few more members than usual were out to Grange meeting Saturday evening.

Mrs. Viola Ackley and daughter, Mrs. Louise West, have returned to their home in Hallowell.

Moses R. Davis, stage driver, is having a vacation this week. He is spending it hunting in Georgia.

Geo. Brown is driving the Upton and Bethel stage this week.

The Upton Band Club gave a white party at the home of Mrs. Daisy B. Warren, Tuesday evening. There were five tables. Refreshments of cake, coffee and sandwiches were served. A good time was enjoyed by all. Hallowell decorations were used.

Mrs. H. I. Abbott has returned from Canada where she has been visiting relatives.

A Halloween entertainment and box supper is to be given at the Grange Hall Friday evening, Oct. 26, by the school. It is hoped that a goodly number will be present.

Good work requires good health; then first cultivate a soundness of body.

## BORN

In Bethel, Oct. 18, to the wife of Robert D. Hastings, a daughter, Virginia Lee.

In North Paris, Oct. 21, to the wife of Charles H. Day, a son.

In North Paris, Oct. 2, to the wife of John W. Hamilton, a daughter, Betty Frances.

In Paris, Oct. 8, to the wife of John Appleton, a son, Edward Lee.

## Married

In North Paris, Oct. 19, by Rev. J. H. P. Jones, Pastor of the Methodist Church, Misses Margaret and Mary Appleton, both of West Paris.

In Norway, Oct. 22, by Rev. J. H. P. Jones, Pastor of the Methodist Church, Misses Margaret and Mary Appleton, both of West Paris.

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## Died

In North Paris, Oct. 20, Elmer L. Appleton, aged 25 years.

In North Paris, Oct. 22, Frank Hamilton, aged 34 years.

## NORTH PARIS

The harvest supper given by the ladies of the Farm Bureau Thursday evening, Oct. 18th, was a decided success. After the supper a short program was given as follows.

Accord and guitar duet.

Readings, Mrs. Morris Ellingwood, Anita and Celia Rowe.

Duet, Miss Aubine Crandall.

Solo, Lester Morgan.

Solo, Celia Rowe.

Reading, Miss Freda Colby.

Solo, The Hart brothers played for the evening. Ice cream was on sale during the evening. The proceeds of the evening were \$15.33.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester McAllister received the news last week that a little son had arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McAllister, Saturday, Oct. 13, in Wichita, Kansas. He has been named Ralph Dixon. Ralph McAllister is the son of H. D. McAllister, formerly of North Paris.

The following notice was taken from a Bristol, Conn., paper: "Everett W. Brown announces the engagement of his daughter, Dorothy E. Brown to Alexander J. Ross." Mr. Ross is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ross of this place where he also made his home until a few years ago.

The schools will hold a Halloween entertainment at Community Hall, Wednesday evening, Oct. 31st.

Miss Doris Kimball spent the week end with friends at Norway.

Mrs. Martha Martin returned home Saturday from her visit at Bethel.

Chester McAllister and S. E. Coffin were in Wilton on business Saturday.

Madlyn Gibbs started for Montclair, N. J., Friday evening, where she has employment near her sister, Ethelyn Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Griffin of Bethel were callers at S. E. Coffin's Saturday evening.

Henry Robbins and daughter, Ethel, of Berlin, N. H., were callers at S. E. Coffin's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Cooper of Berlin, N. H., called on her classmate, Mrs. S. E. Coffin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Sunday, Oct. 21st.

Schools closed Tuesday for the rest of the week as both teachers will attend the convention at Bangor.

## WEST SUMNER

The body of Chancery Backman of Hallowell was brought from Orr's Island Monday for burial in Pleasant Pond Cemetery. He was working on a cut stage at Orr's Island and was taken sick Tuesday and died the following Monday morning of diphtheria. On account of the nature of the disease he was buried as soon as possible. He leaves a wife and two children, his father, one brother and two sisters, several sons and nephews.

The farm buildings of William Greenleaf were burned Sunday morning. The house, about 25 tons of hay and all the farming tools were burned. The furniture on the lower floor was saved.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Newell and Elizabeth and David Boyle, Hazel Ford, Reginald Ford and Ethel Abbott moved to Bethel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Newell were in town Monday on business.

Mrs. Alice DeCoster, Mrs. Ella Goodier and Chester DeCoster moved to North Paris, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Barrows went to Portland Saturday. Mr. Barrows went to see an eye specialist. They returned home Sunday. While there they visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Barrows. Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Barrows and Mrs. Elsie Barrows cared for their home while they were away.

P. A. McAllister of Livermore Falls spent the day Friday with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle.

Mrs. Amy Farrar has let 100 cords of lumber to be cut on her land by the Charles Mason of Locke's Mills. Ernie and Alfred Mason will assist him.

## STATE OF MAINE

**WARRANT FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION**

County of Oxford ss. Town of Bethel To John B. Davis.

You are hereby requested in the name of the State of Maine, to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel qualified to vote for electors, to assemble at the place and time specified in the following order.

That the polls be opened at eight o'clock on the day of the election, and that the electors be sworn to their duty.

That the polls be closed at six o'clock on the day of the election, and that the electors be sworn to their duty.

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## BOOSTING MAINE

How the Maine Development Commission is working to promote the state's farming, industry, recreation and education in the belief that Maine's schools, factories, her hotels and camps and her agriculture will soon be on the high road to a prosperity which will focus the attention of the New England States, was the subject of a talk here last week by Van C. Isola, Executive Secretary of the Commission, to the Rotary Club at its dinner at the Exchange Hotel.

Approximately \$61,000 is at the disposal of the Commission this year, Mr. Isola said, thanks to the co-operation of the cities and towns, whose contributions this year added some \$11,000 to the legislative appropriation. It is also due to this co-operation that the "Maine Plan", as the help of these communities has come to be known, is being watched by states in the South and West which are planning promotional work similar to that under way here.

Mr. Isola said that Maine's fame as a recreational, farming and industrial section has been broadcast this year in five national magazines, and twenty newspapers, several of them of national circulation. Booklets, folders, maps and other educational matter has been issued in answer to a demand which is way over that of last season. More than 1,135 columns of articles, photographs and editorials are now on display in the offices of the Commission, the result of the publicity department's work in the last eight months, or a total of about 200,000 newspaper lines, or 114 pages. This is in addition to broadcasting by radio, talks by Commission members and motion pictures of Maine events which have circulated throughout the United States. As an example of the methods which the Commission is taking to acquaint the country with Maine's attractions, Mr. Isola said that the 7,000-mile automobile trip which Charles C. Stetson, chairman of the Commission, is now making to carry the picture of Maine into more than thirty states. In this connection, Mr. Isola pointed to the fact that no member of the Commission receives any salary or even reimbursement for the expenses.

Preliminary reports have been received, Mr. Isola said, from four committees which are preparing the surveys of the state's farming, education, recreation and industry to find out just where Maine stands as to her assets and her possibilities for a new prosperity for her citizens. As a means of finding out what can be done for the youth of the state to make them want to remain here rather than go to large centers, the Commission will soon call a Junior Economic Conference.

Mr. Isola said, in which the colleges and business organizations will cooperate on this important problem.

**Dwellers in High Places**  
The highest inhabited place in the world is a mining district in Chile, 18,450 feet above sea level; next, a mining district in Peru, 16,200 feet; then a monastery in Tibet, 15,200 feet. The highest home of man in the United States is the Pike's Peak observatory in Colorado, over 14,000 feet above sea level.

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE**  
Whereas A. Judson Blake, of Gilead, County of Oxford, State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated the second day of January, 1923, and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds, Book 252, page 109, conveyed to the undersigned Bethel Savings Bank, a corporation established by law at Bethel, Oxford County, Maine, a certain parcel of real estate situated in said Gilead, with the buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: westerly by the town line between said town of Gilead and the town of Hallowell; easterly by the town line of George Hornham, now deceased, being the Androscoggin River, westerly by land formerly of John A. Twindle, and by land formerly of Sarah B. Blake, said parcel being the home farm of said A. Judson Blake as occupied by him on said January 2, 1923 and until occupied by him including all land owned by said A. Judson Blake in connection with said farm on said January 2, 1923; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken.

Now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof the undersigned Bethel Savings Bank claims a foreclosure of said mortgage, dated the 2nd day of January, 1923.

**BETHEL SAVINGS BANK.**  
By A. E. Herrick,  
the Treasurer of said bank.

Subscribed and sworn to as true by said A. E. Herrick, Treasurer of said Bethel Savings Bank, this 25th day of October, 1928.

**ELMER C. PARK,**  
Justice of the Peace.

**DON'T NEGLECT A COUGH**  
A neglected cough can lead to a lot of trouble. But if you use Adamson's Balsam the first thing there's no danger.

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## The Verdict

"Beautiful," murmured the flapper tourist as she gazed upon the image of the sphinx. And as an afterthought she added, "but dumb."

## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named.

At a Probate Court, held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris on the third Tuesday of November, A. D., 1928, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Sibyl E. Cummings late of Albany, deceased; petition for license to sell and convey real estate presented by Allen E. Cummings, administrator.

George H. Heywood late of Upton, deceased; petition for determination of inheritance tax presented by Ellery C. Park, administrator.

George H. Heywood late of Upton, deceased; first account presented for allowance by Ellery C. Park, administrator.

Witness, Henry H. Hastings, Judge of said Court at Paris this 18th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

**ALBERT D. PARK,** Register.

## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of

Mary Stevens late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

**JOHN W. CARTER,**  
Oct. 17th, 1928. Bethel, Maine.

## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the estate of

Catherine S. Howe late of Bethel, in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

**EVERETT DAVIS,**  
Oct. 17th, 1928. Lewiston, Maine.

## E. L. WATKINS CO.

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Erica B. Flint Unknown Sept. 20, 1872 40.97

I hereby certify that the above statement is true according to my best knowledge and belief.

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